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## *Cambridge Fiancee Considers Jilting Greb*

## NEW CITY OFFICIALS INDUCTED

**Mayors and Councils of Several Greater Boston Municipalities Sworn In**

Inaugural exercises for Mayors and Boards of Aldermen and Councils in several cities of Greater Boston are scheduled to take place today and tonight.

The will be that of Mayor-elect John D. Devir of Malden, elected for the first time from the Ward 2 district. Devir is a first cousin of Mayor Devir of Chicago. He will be inducted tonight from his home at No. 219 Pearl street to the Malden armory by way of City Hall square, a route than 6,000 persons.

**IN EVERETT.**

In Everett, in keeping with the wishes of Lester D. Chisholm who is serving his third term as mayor, the services at City Hall will be very

In Melrose, owing to repairs being made to the foundation of old City Memorial Hall, exercises will be held in the City Hall. Albert M. Tibbetts, Mayor-elect, will be sworn in by the new city clerk, Victor C. Kirmes.

Mayor Richard B. Coolidge of Medford, a distant relative of President Coolidge, will take the oath of office for the second two-year term, from Judge Frederick W. Fosdick, of the Superior Court, in Medford Armory.

Rogers will usher in Thomas H. Dyer, Democratic mayor-elect, in Lyceum Hall at 8 p. m., when City Clerk James A. McLaughlin will swear the new incumbent into office, after which the new mayor will deliver his inaugural address.

To Renew the inaugural exercises will be held tonight at City Hall, at which Dr. John E. Walsh will be mayor is.

**MINUTE PROGRAM.**

The inauguration of the new city government of Quincy was to take place this morning in the new high school. Mayor-elect Barbour has invited all the living ex-Mayor to sit on the platform with him.

General William Shopford will be sworn in as Mayor of Revere at noon ceremonies in the City Hall. The new Board of Aldermen, will also be sworn in. City Clerk Edward Ellis will administer the oaths of office.

## MAN RESCUED

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ar hung an old oilskin, his signal

Peterson left the harbor here early yesterday morning on a fishing trip. He anchored on a shoal. When he started to go home his motor refused to respond. Beginning to fish, he put over an anchor and tried his distress signal which he expected to be seen immediately.

The day wore on, the Coast Guard cutter and moving automobiles on the shore plainly visible. Peterson did not know that in response to an S. O. S. given by the owner of the boat the cutter Tampa and Pioneer and the coast guard long boat were trying to find him. When night fell it was cold, he went through the motions of rowing in order to keep warm.

Today small boats of the fishing fleet discovered him when they arrived out at dawn. His boat was in the same position in which he had anchored it the previous day. Coast Guard Station visible in the distance.

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**Veteran Traveler**

DR. PHILIP G. PEABODY.

Who hopes to make 100 trips across the Atlantic before his seventy-second birthday. Photo taken on the Aquatania.

## STARTS ON HIS 93D VOYAGE OVER SEA

One hundred trips across the Atlantic before he reaches the age of seventy-two is the goal of Dr. Philip G. Peabody of Boston, who has sailed on the Aquatania for his ninety-third crossing. As he is only sixty-five today, Dr. Peabody has every anticipation of attaining his goal.

The roving urge which takes a man from his home and carries him to all parts of the world is a strange thing. Dr. Peabody made his first trip across the Atlantic more than thirty years ago. At that time he thought he would never make another. Since then, however, he has averaged three trips a year, sailing in January, May and September.

Dr. Peabody has traveled through England and the Continent many times. He considers Denmark the most civilized country in the world. He says there is nothing "rotten in Denmark."

Dr. Peabody travels light, two handbags composing his entire luggage. Nobody better than he knows just what is necessary to the comfort of a voyage or how better to cram those articles into the smallest space.

Dr. Peabody is a fatalist. During his many voyages across he has felt no qualms. He believes there is a time set for everyone to die.

Unless you find an ideal, congenial traveling companion, go alone, is his advice. Until his daughter's marriage several years ago, she always accompanied him. Since then he has made his voyages without companionship.

## 30 WAR CRAFT OFF FOR FLEET MANEUVERS

Norfolk, Va., Jan. 5.—Thirty war craft, comprising the Atlantic division of the United States fleet, were in shipshape for their departure from Hampton Roads today for Winter maneuvers off Guantanamo. For many of the destroyers, submarines and fleet auxiliaries accompanying the four battleships of the group it meant the last sight of North Atlantic ports for months, as they will later journey through the Panama Canal to join the Pacific division for the Hawaiian maneuvers beginning in April.

## MARRIAGE TO BOXER HELD UP

**Miss Walton Angered by Embarrassment of Fiasco at Church Altar**

Chicago, Jan. 5. — The scheduled wedding of Harry Greb, light-heavyweight champion boxer of the world, and Miss Louise Walton of Cambridge, Mass., is temporarily declared off.

At the coast, Greb hopes it is only "temporarily."

Miss Walton, it is understood, is considering making the postponement permanent as the result of the fiasco at St. Thomas of Canterbury Church here.

Greb arrived here for the ceremony, where his bride is playing at a local theatre.

Miss Walton's parents from Cambridge also were here and all arrangements were made for the ceremony. Fr. Malloy was engaged to tie the knot and the wedding party proceeded to the church. The bride and bridegroom even had taken their places before the altar when it was found that neither had received permission for the ceremony from their diocesan authorities.

Fr. Malloy refused to perform the rites and advised the couple to wait until they had received the necessary permission and then have the wedding either in Cambridge or Pittsburgh among their friends.

Miss Walton is said to hold Greb to blame for not appealing her of the requirements of the church.

## SEEK TWO MEN AS LEADERS OF SLAVERS

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tion. The little choir singer departed, and nothing has been heard from her since.

Elsie's story was told between sobs in the Palmer police station, where she was taken following a raid on the home of Arthur Mundell at East Brimfield.

"I was married when I was only seventeen years old," she told the police," and for a year lived with my husband at Rockland, Me. Then he left me suddenly and I was forced to look for employment.

"I came to Massachusetts and obtained work in a factory in Spencer. For a year I made an honest living and boarded with a certain family.

"One night I decided to visit my sister in Worcester. When I arrived there I met a man who talked about a better position with more money. He told me he could get me a job in a private family as a maid, and that the work would be easy. He said the family was well to do and the wages would be high.

**TAKEN IN AUTO.**

"I arranged to meet the man the following week, and with a friend he kept the appointment. The two men took me in an automobile and went directly to the home of the Mundells.

"Shortly before they reached the roadhouse, they broke the news to me that I was intended for a life of shame. I cried and struggled to leap from the machine, but they held me down. They told me not to worry, that I would be well taken care of. I was installed in the house and have been there ever since."

The Parker girl claimed she had no knowledge of Lucille Farrar's whereabouts. The little choir singer was traced as far as Worcester, where she was seen in the company of a man of questionable reputation, boarding a train for Springfield. As far as can be learned, she never reached this city. The authorities believe the girl has been taken to Albany, N. Y., and have asked the police of that city to search for her.

**SEEK TWO MEN.**

It was said that it is only a question of a few days before two Worcester men will be rounded up by the State police in connection with the case of the Parker girl.

It was only by accident the authorities learned a white slave gang was operating in Worcester and Hampden counties, using young girls lured from their homes in other parts of New England.

It came to light when one of the men members of the band engaged in a controversy with a woman known only as "Hazel." She went directly to the Federal authorities in this city, and suggested they visit the Mundells, where they would find Elsie Parker.

Federal officers and members of the State Constabulary hurried to the Mundell roadhouse. On entering they found seventeen men and two women, Elsie Parker and May Dennis, known as Mrs. Mundell.

In court the Mundells were fined $300 each and given two-year sus. pended sentences in jail. The Parker girl received a suspended sentence on her promise to aid the authorities.

The authorities say that in addition to the house in East Brimfield, Mundell had a similar resort in Warren, and was planning to purchase another roadhouse near his home. This place was owned by the mysterious "Hazel," and Mundell succeeded in purchasing it over her head.

## Indians to Capital

Washington, Jan. 5.—The council of the Osage Indian tribe of Oklahoma, nine strong, accompanied by several full blood members of the tribe, will journey this week to Washington to discuss with Secretary Work and Indian Commissioner Burke questions affecting the tribe.

**In Nuptial Fiasco**

LOUISE WALTON

Cambridge fiancee of Harry Greb, middleweight champion boxer of the world, peeved because their wedding was stopped at the altar in Chicago, hinted today that she may jilt him. She blames the boxer for the failure to observe the regulations of the Catholic church which require permission from home diocese.

## Hotel Dishwasher Is Heir to $250,000 Estate

Miami, Fla., Jan. 5.—A widow who has been earning her living as a dish washer in a Philadelphia hotel has fallen heir to property in a Miami sub-division said to be worth $250,000. She is Mrs. Olivia Mae Elsaley, who was the wife of John A. Elsaley of Philadelphia, who inherited half of a forty acre tract here.

Before his death Elsaley gave a quit claim deed to his sister, Elmina, who executed a trust agreement whereby she was to sell the land and divide the proceeds with her brother's wife.

The sister refused to carry out the agreement and Mrs. Elsaley was forced to go to work as a dishwasher in Philadelphia while the case was carried through the Florida courts.

## FIND 3 GIRLS ILL; DOCTOR ARRESTED

Dr. Aaron W. Rebstein of No. 17 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, was released in $5,000 bail after being charged with the practice of illegal surgery.

Theodore H. Flowers, formerly known as a parachute jumper at county fairs, and his wife, Mrs. Maude L. Flowers, are accused as accessories after the fact, and three young women are in the City Hospital as a result of a police raid on an apartment at No. 115 Gainsborough street.

The police say they found the young woman, for whom they had been waiting, in bed. She told them they assert, that she had just submitted to an illegal operation at the office of Dr. Rebstein. The other two women found in the apartment were convalescing.

Dr. Rebstein is not a graduate of a recognized medical school, according to the American Medical Directory. He was licensed to practice in Massachusetts in 1912, however.

The police declare the raided apartment had been used as a private hospital for some time. The place has been watched. It is said because of the frequent visits there of certain physicians, and because several young women were seen to enter and not leave for several days.

The policeman on watch saw a young woman enter the house recently and go up to the fourth floor. When she did not come out again after a long wait, the raiders, armed with search warrants, forced their way into the apartment.

## 2 SUSPECTS HELD IN CIGAR STORE ROBBERY

Two young men, claiming to be members of the Young Workers of America, were arrested today on Milk street as suspicious persons when Patrolman George Smith of the City Hall avenue station noticed they had a marked resemblance to the bandits who held up the Schulte cigar store Friday night. They gave their names as Barney Maas of Chicago and Hyman Broomfield of Worcested. The pair will be held until police investigate their past. The cigar clerk will be given an opportunity to look them over.

## Modern Girl Is More Modest Than in Past, Woman Judge Says

The girl of today is infinitely more modest than the girl of yesterday, Judge Jean Norris declared at the Old South Forum, when she blamed parents, congested conditions, and economic pressure for crimes committed by delinquent youth.

This woman city magistrate of New York City further stated that New York is one of the cleanest cities in the country. In one year's time, cases of girls on the streets had dropped in court from 3,165 to 175 cases. New York police, she said, are taking every means to rid the streets of this element.

## FULLER PAYS $100,000 FOR WORKS OF ART

Three paintings valued at $100,000 have been purchased by Governor-elect Fuller for his Malden residence. They were bought in New York and are the product of the brush of Ignacio Zuloaga, Spanish artist, now exhibiting in the metropolis.

Of the pictures bought by Mr. Fuller, the first called "Sevillia," portrays a Gypsy dance. Another is the "Basque Peasant," a full portrait of a man 5½ by 7 feet. The third is called "Augustina La Gitana," portrait of a Gypsy girl.

## DIVORCEE FLEES TO MEXICO TO REWED

MRS. WILLIAM F. SCHLEMMER

The former Mrs. Elsie Wilkinson hurriedly left for Mexico City when William F. Schlemmer, wealthy hardware merchant of Great Neck, L. I., secured his divorce on December 8 last. Today it was revealed that the couple were married at the Mexican capital nine days later. Mrs. Wilkinson divorced her own husband, a color printer.

New York, Jan. 5.—William F. Schlemmer, hardware manufacturer, who was granted a divorce from his wife, Mrs. Mary A. Schlemmer, on December 8, was married on December 17 to Mrs. Elsie Wilkinson in Mexico City, it was announced by his attorney.

Mrs. Schlemmer obtained a separation from Schlemmer in November, 1923, mentioning Mrs. Wilkinson as a "very dear friend" of her husband. Mrs. Wilkinson was then the wife of William J. Wilkinson, a color printer. She later divorced Mr. Wilkinson, who has since remarried.

The first intimation of trouble in the two families came in 1921, when Mr. Wilkinson stopped Schlemmer's automobile while he was riding in the New York with Mrs. Wilkinson and gave Schlemmer a severe beating, accusing him of undue intimacy with his wife.

In her suit for a divorce, Mrs. Schlemmer said her husband deserted her and left her without money or food on his estate at Great Neck, L. I. Her husband controlled the only coal company in the town, she said, and had issued orders that no fuel be sold to her.

**Guests Forced to Flee**

Montreal, Jan. 5.—Fifteen persons men and women and children, were forced into the street, scantily clad early today by a fire in the Hotel du Canada.

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# 'Funny' Lovering, Declares Dame Rumor, Is to Be Bride in March

By BETTY ALDEN

MISS EILEEN LOVERING is to be a bride in March, so Dame Rumor says. That voluble person says more the ceremonial will be staged in the Cathedral Church of St. Paul where the Loverings, pater and mater, are parishioners, and where many marriages of great distinction take place.

"Bunny" Lovering's engagement to young Josiah Child followed close on the heels of her coming out ball given at the Hotel Somerset last January, and thrilled her but world to the core. She was the very first girl of the 1924 Winter to become engaged, and now is one of the first to don bridal robes.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Lovering, Mr. of Gloucester street, parents of the bride-to-be, are of Boston's socially elect and the wedding ceremonial will shine with much brilliance, as did the presentation ball last Winter when members of the old aristocracy, with which the Loverings are closely connected, turned out to grace the affair.

Mrs. Lovering was Ellen Lyman, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Lyman of Commonwealth avenue, whose son, George, Jr., married Eleanor Higginson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Lee Higginson of Beacon street. The paternal grandmother is Mrs. Charles Lamar Lyman. Sisters and there are relatives galore of the highest importance. Mrs. Walter Hunnewell, Mrs. Arthur Reggio, Richard S. and Joseph Lovering, to mention but a few.

Eileen and brunette is Miss Lovering. She was graduated from Miss Wheat's school and belongs to the Junior League and the Junior Club, by right of birth and alliances.

Mr. Child is the son of Mrs. Edwin P. Child of Chestnut street and Westwood. His late father was Rev. Howard Child, Mrs. Charles Lowell Gulick is his sister, and other relatives are Miss Arthur Jackson and Mrs. Hobart Perkins Shaw, the last named a Chicago social pet of no mean order.

Dr. and Mrs. Ladd and Mr. Ladd's mother are presenting their charming daughter, Miss Gwendolen Ladd, who has returned from Europe for her formal coming out. Theatre parties are on the tapis, all the rage, and all at the Garden this street, home of the Ladds, in which many of the smart set have been hidden. Later comes an informal supper for the girls who are to preside at the tea table. Miss Noble, Margaret Granniss, Betty Converse and others would have all the day with the family a dance for young people. Tomorrow the lad returns to college.

Miss Elizabeth Church, a niece of Mrs. Ladd, is in town from Smith College and shares presentation honors with Miss Gwendolen. Both daughters of the famous Gardenia and the younger Vernon, are Brimmer School girls, and both have a distinctive flair. They shine particularly in the pageants and charity affairs that boys and girls of the Children's Hospital clubs give yearly at the North Shore.

Great talent, however, is to be accorded in the Ladd family, for Mrs. Ladd is Anna Coleman Ladd, known far and wide for the sculptures fashioned by her gifted hands. The "Gold Room" in the town house in Commonwealth avenue is a veritable treasury of her works. Just now she privileged few may see there one of her latest creations, a war memorial which is to be set up in Beverly Farms in the Spring.

Mrs. Ladd has a large studio at the Shore where she puts in long hours, this, too, holds many of her sculptures. It is at "Arden," in Preston Place, Beverly Farms, the family summer home, set in a lovely woodland, where Mrs. Ladd keeps open house on week-ends during the Summer, for those who love the artistic.

Elsie Ferguson and Anna Pavlova, stars of much magnitude, have recently been sitting in Mrs. Ladd.

BOSTON sees little of Mr. Amos Lawrence, who is just now arriving on the other side on one of his many journeys to foreign lands. Mr. Lawrence is one of the smart set's younger bachelors who had an apartment on famous "Beacon Hill" and who plays the host so successfully at various jolly affairs. He has a North Shore place, as well, where he sometimes puts up on his brief stays in America.

Mr. Lawrence spends much of his time in Paris, where he has a charming apartment. It is a mecca for any number of the municipality in search of the talented young Bostonians who may be pursuing their artistic careers in the French metropolis.

Miss Hazard J. Coolidge (Edith Lawrence) one of the young matrons who quite the beauties of the Junior League, is a niece of Amos Lawrence, who played host to the Prince of Wales, you remember—is a brother.

MISS GERTRUDE RUSSELL.

One of the prominent Boston girls who went over to New York for New Year festivities. She is newly engaged, to Mr. Benjamin Rice Bassett of New York.

## Society Notes

MRS. RICHARD S. RUSSELL and Miss Gertrude Russell of Commonwealth avenue were in New York over the New Year's, going over for some of the festivities in the great city. Miss Russell is a newly engaged girl, her betrothal to Mr. Benjamin Franklin Rice Bassett announced a week or so ago. Mr. Bassett is a Harvard man, and Miss Russell belongs to the Chilton Club, the Vincent Club and the Junior League.

Mrs. Bryan Lathrop of Chicago, who came to town for marriage of her niece, Miss Helen Bradley and Mr. Charles Morgan Rotch, has been putting up at the Chilton Club during her stay. She was Helen Aldis, a sister of Mrs. Rotch's mother, the late Mrs. Richards Merry Bradley.

Another out of town matron of much distinction now here for a smart wedding is Mrs. Joseph Hamlin (Martha Thorndike), the house guest of Miss Annie Endicott Nourse of Marlboro street. Mrs. Hamlin was matron of honor when her sister Anna married Dr. John Work in the Church of the Immaculate Conception on Saturday.

More than 500 persons sought an audience with the Pontiff, Pius XI, at the Vatican Palace of the late Mrs. John L. Gardner, under the impression that the building, being prepared as a public museum, was to be opened to the public for the first time.

The caretaker was put to considerable trouble to keep many of the Americans from climbing over the front door transom, searched out the door on the quarters, and kept the bell ringing.


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# 100,000 ATTEND FEAST OF THE HOLY NAME

Churches of Archdiocese Are Thronged; Cardinal Pontificates at Cathedral

More than 100,000 men, members of the Catholic Churches in the Archdiocese of Boston took part in the annual Feast of the Holy Name, observed in the churches' throughout the diocese.

These men are all members of the Holy Name Society, and at the Feast exercises they renewed their faith in the ideals of this organization and pledged anew their fidelity to the pledge that "the enemies of the Church shall not triumph over our souls."

In many churches, special speakers addressed those assembled. The principal service was held at the Cathedral of the Holy Cross, where Cardinal O'Connell pontificated at solemn benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament and later addressed the gathering of more than 4,000 men.

The Cardinal, in his customary way, greeted the men gathered in the Cathedral as "Beloved men of the Holy Name Society." He then expressed his delight and happiness at the occurrence of the day, saying: "It always makes me very happy to see every year on this great feast this great and triumphant gathering of manhood in this Cathedral church of our diocese.

"Surely it is a wonderful thing, at this time each year, to find them here in this holy church to begin the new year with solemn pledges that the enemies of the church shall not triumph over our souls."

Declaring that no higher praise could be given to a man than the commendation given to President Coolidge by Pope Pius XI for his public declaration of his faith in Christ at the Holy Name demonstration in Washington last Fall, Cardinal O'Connell added:

"It is rare, indeed, that the Holy Father speaks of the head of a nation as he spoke of our President, as he showed pride in the head of our government, who though not a Catholic, stood up before 100,000 Catholic delegates and professed his faith in Christ and applauded and praised the men of our society for their courage and their faith."

# Gold Salt Cure for Tuberculosis Is Called Success

Chicago, Jan. 5 (Universal Service).—Sanotrysine, the gold salt cure for tuberculosis developed by Professor Holger Mollegaard, a Danish scientist, is hailed as medicine's greatest stride in recent years by Dr. Peter C. Clemesen, Chicago surgeon, who was sent to Denmark as a special representative of the Chicago health department to make a study of the specific.

# SEIZED WAITING TO PAY DEBT TO WOMAN

Hyde Park Man, Lurking in Square, Taken as Suspicious Person

Hyde Park police today are investigating the story of Rosario Sorie, twenty-eight, of Knight street, Hyde Park, who was arrested while waiting in the early morning hours at Cleary square to "pay off a debt" to a woman who, he said, had caused him trouble.

Patrolmen F. J. Wright and Andrew Smith watched Sorie as he waited in a dark part of the square. They finally took him into custody as a suspicious person. When searched they found a revolver in his possession.

Sorie, at the station house, said a woman had caused him trouble and he was simply waiting for her to pay off the debt. He was to be arraigned in Roxbury court today and police were to ask for a continuance of one week while they investigate the story.

## STATE WOMEN'S CLUB PLAN ALL-DAY SE

As all day dinner con... the Massachusetts State F... of Women's Clubs will ... Chauncy Hall, No. ... street, tomorrow with the ... Auxiliary to the Canad... hostess. The morning ... open at 10 o'clock with ... from the State presi... Frederick G. Sibley of ... The speakers will be ... True Worthy White and ... Donaldson, Sanford Rid... sioner of correction; Dr. ... Munroe, Robert J. Whi... R. Crosby, Frederic W. Co... tary of the Commonwea... chusetts, and Mrs. Fanny ... field.

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Eghgis & Dale ... 8:15
Lloyd & Brice ... 8:15
Jason Brown ... 8:30
THE TEST ... 8:40
THE SUPERS ... 8:50
VICTOR MOORE & CO. ... 9:05
EDITH CLIFFORD ... 9:20
VALERIE BERGERE & CO. ... 9:45
FRANK ... 10:00
Juvenile Phenom ... 10:15
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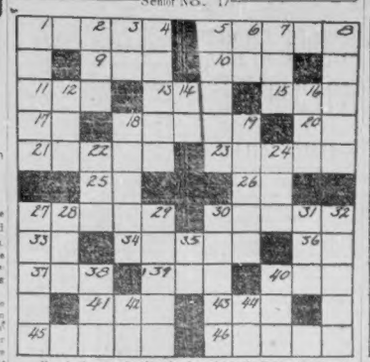

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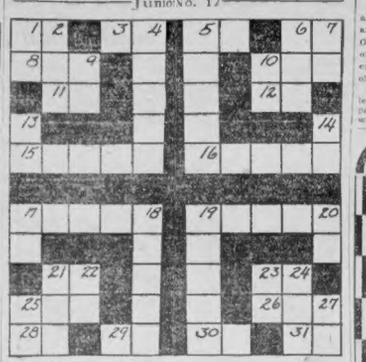

Here is the seventeenth pair of puzzles in the Boston American's thirty-day contest for cross-word fans of New England. Read the rules and conditions and solve today. One of each, Senior and Junior, will be printed each day in the Boston American until sixty in all have been set before the fans.

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Watch out for Puzzles No. 18. A brace of surprises are in store for you. Let's go, now!

### Key to Senior Puzzle No. 17

HORIZONTAL.

1—Girls.
5—One pole in electric unit.
8—Also.
10—Born. (A woman's maiden name.)
11—Distress signal.
12—Nickname.
13—Fishing equipment.
17—Upon.
18—Goliath's Nemesis.
20—A prefix denoting two.
21—Approaches.
23—Weird.
25—Proceed.
26—Toward.
27—A spice.
29—Encounters.
32—Behold.
33—Go in.
36—Two letters often used in diphthong.
37—Female sheep.
39—A fowl.
40—A low form of statesman.
41—A bird.
42—Period of time.
45—Washout.
46—Tears.

VERTICAL.

1—Member of a secret society.
2—Possessive pronoun.
3—To sack.
4—Summer drinks.
5—Miss Laurie.
6—A group of State. (abbrev.)
7—Over. (poetic.)
8—Boy's name.
9—Until.
14—Thoroughfare. (abbrev.)
16—American desert.
18—A group of sheep.
19—Stop.
22—Gone by.
24—Fish eggs.
27—Good weather.
28—Not high.
29—Follow.
30—Measuring machine.
31—Also.
32—Trudes for money.
35—In the direction of.
38—Even. (poetic.)
40—Kitchen utensil.
42—Paper written longhand. (abbrev.)
44—In reference to. (Latin.)

### Key to Junior Puzzle No. 17

HORIZONTAL.

1—Not outside.
3—Part of verb "to be."
5—Very.
6—Toward.
8—A Chinese coin.
10—Male child.
11—Opposite of from.
12—A pronoun.
13—St. Nick.
16—Used to drive horses.
17—What many people live in.
18—A pig's nose.
21—A great river.
22—Act.
25—To put on.
26—To drink slowly.
28—Advertisement. (abbrev.)
29—A ventriloquist.
30—Written later. (abbrev.)
31—Name of a note in music scale.

VERTICAL.

1—Part of verb "to be."
2—A snare.
4—Coffee and chocolate mixed.
5—Pertaining to son.
6—A baby.
7—A preposition.
9—A negative.
10—Yes. (Spanish.)
15—Part of verb "to be."
14—While.
17—Thus.
18—To come in.
19—A sailboat.
20—Toward.
21—A legume.
23—A preposition.
24—A decoration for war work. (abbrev.)
24—Lubricate.
25—What baby says first.
27—Father.

## CROSS-PUZZLE FANS WILD AS YALE WINS

New York, Jan. 5 (Universal Service)—Yale is being congratulated today for winning the first intercollegiate crossword puzzle tournament, which was held in this city.

There were four colleges entered in the contest, Yale, Harvard, Wellesley and City College of New York. The contestants labored before four huge blackboards, amid cheers of encouragement, the Yale team spoiled to victory. Yale was represented by Stephen Vincent Benet and Jack Thomas.

The fill victory, which came after eight minutes and 23 seconds of mental gymnastics on the part of Jack Thomas and Stephen Vincent Benet, was a notable one, in that Yale's traditional rival, Harvard, represented by Heywood Broun and Robert Sherwood, was among the losers. Princeton with Dr. Sigmund Spaeth and Jerome Swinford and the College of the City of New York, with Arthur Gutterman and Montrose Moses, were others tasting defeat.

Broun and Sherwood were not familiar with a word of seven letters meaning "a slight convex in the shaft of a column." It is "entasis." They had spelled the word with an "M" instead of an "N," having previously entered the crossing word "Em" for a "printer's measure."

Working the same puzzle, Wellesley, with Mrs. Louis Hails and Mrs. Harold Sichel juggling the words, came out ahead of Vassar, Bryn Mawr and Smith. And the Wellesley stars beat the time of the Yale victors in completing the puzzle by a minute and six seconds.

Ruth Franz von Phul, claiming the cross-word puzzle championship of the world, and William Stern, ad, somewhat of an expert himself, gave an exhibition which fairly staggered some of the most experienced addicts in the sinfulness and among the competitors.

### "ACCUMULATED" DAYS OFF BY LYNN POLICE BANNED

Chief Thomas M. Burckes of the Lynn police department has issued a general order calling a halt on the practice of the members of the force of "saving up" their days off and taking them together, sometimes with their regular two weeks vacation, and of doing private duty on their days off.

The chief had learned that some of the officers had been solicited private duty and in his general order gave notice that this practice must also cease.

### SHOE STYLE SHOW TO OPEN TOMORROW

The annual shoe wholesaler's shoe style show, to be held this year in Symphony Hall, will open tomorrow. It will run for three days.

This show is unique in that it is not open to the public. It is a drive for business in the shoe industry, and while there will be pretty models stylishly gowned showing the shoes the only persons to attend will be shoe men, actual buyers of shoes.

### TWO BROTHERS HURT WHEN HIT BY AUTO

John and Albert Roach, ten and nine years old, of No. 4 Hano street, Brighton, were injured when they were struck by an automobile while crossing in front of No. 74 North Beacon street.

The machine was operated by Jacob Shertkower of No. 1374 Commonwealth avenue, who carried the oldest of the boys to St. Elizabeth's Hospital. Albert was brought to the hospital later by his father. The left legs of both boys were injured.

### COOLIDGES ATTEND CORCORAN GALLERY

Washington, Jan. 5—President and Mrs. Coolidge paid an unannounced visit to the Corcoran Gallery of Art, viewing a number of paintings recently placed on exhibition there with several of the old favorites.

It was a "public day" at the gallery and the President and his wife passed upward of an hour mingling with the visitors.

### Patrolman's Life Is Saved as Bullet Hits Badge

Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 5—His badge of authority probably saved the life of Patrolman Edward Fallon when it stopped a bullet fired by a negro the officer was attempting to arrest. A second shot struck Patsy Gagliardino, a bystander, in the shoulder.

### BOSTON FOLK TO GET "SPECIAL" TO ECLIPSE

For the benefit of Boston observers of the total eclipse of the sun on January 24, the New Haven Railroad probably will run a special train to Westerly, R. I., which will be a convenient point for the observation of the phenomenon.

The train contemplated will leave Boston about 6 o'clock in the morning, and start back at 8:30.

The Westerly Board of Trade will furnish an accessible location for the observers.

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BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS

# NURMI READY FOR HIS ASSAULTS ON WORLD'S RECORD

## BIG TEST TUESDAY NIGHT

By DAVIS J. WALSH.
International News Service Sports Editor.

New York, Jan. 5.—Not since the days of the Dorando-Johnny Hayes match races of happy memory has New York become so exercised as it has over the impending debut of Paavo Nurmi, world's greatest runner, at Madison Square Garden tomorrow night.

Nurmi will start in a special mile and a 1,000-meter run at the Finnish American, A. C. games, and his appearance will mark a revival in track and field athletics such as followed the 1908 Olympics at London, where Dorando was carried across the line in the Marathon and Hayes, finishing second, subsequently declared the winner.

**RAY IN PROTEST.**

That incident made for arch rivalry and the present instance has much in common with it. After being beaten four times by Nurmi at Paris the American runner who would not give his wingtips for a victory over the Finn is an American runner without the ambition of a second footman.

John Ray, Lloyd Hahn, Walter Higgins and Jimmy Connolly are some of the entries who will essay to take issue with Nurmi over the mile distance.

As far as the writer is concerned, they might as well try to take issue with an antelope. It is said that Nurmi will be handicapped by his lack of familiarity with indoor running, which is probably the case. My idea of an adequate handicap for Nurmi is to call in Houdini and let him do his worst.

**BAD BLOOD CROPS UP.**

Evidence of bad blood between Nurmi and Willie Ritola [illegible] fellow countrymen, also has had its popular appeal. Actually, they are as friendly as a pair of hermit crabs, but much has been said about the case that does not carry a basis of truth.

It has been declared that their enmity started when Ritola refused to shake hands with Ritola after the 5,000 meter race at Paris. It also has been intimated that they had agreed to set a moderate pace in this event and that Ritola attempted to double cross Paavo by stepping out on him three laps from home. It is to laugh.

Ritola had all he could do to stay on Nurmi's heels through the greater portion of this race. There was no "understanding" on his brother act about it. Nurmi went out to win and he did. They say that Ritola was less than two yards back at the finish, which is true, but they neglect to state that Nurmi was coasting while he looked back over his shoulder when the incident in question occurred. He could have stepped five seconds faster while Ritola was all "ran out."

**AT A DISADVANTAGE.**

As a matter of fact their unfriendliness antedates the incident by several days. It began when Nurmi "propositioned" Ritola on the 10,000-meter race, which he wished to conduct as a two-man, handshaking affair.

Ritola refused to be a party to the proceedings and Nurmi withdrew from the race, which was won by Ritola, some 12 seconds under the world's record. If it was possible to have beaten Nurmi at Paris, Ritola would have done it in this race.

They will meet tomorrow night at 5,000 meters and Nurmi, unfamiliar with board floor running and having finished a hard mile earlier in the evening, will be at something of a disadvantage. But he is a better runner than Ritola the best day the latter ever knew and the writer, for one, entertains the doubt of Nurmi's ultimate victory.

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I DIDNT KNOW THAT FRED'S BOY WAS IN BUSINESS FOR HISSELF - WOT DOES HE DO ?
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## HUB ATHLETES LEAVE TONIGHT FOR N. Y. MEET

Athletic Director Tom Kansky of the B. A. A. and three of his men leave tonight for New York, where the athletes will take part in the Finnish A. C. games in Gotham tomorrow evening.

Lloyd Hahn will compete against Paavo Nurmi, the great Finn, in the 1,500-meter race.

Ray Robinson is down to start in the 600-metre race and Clarence Flahive will take part in the high jump.

Mr. Kansky has another motive in journeying to the big city. He will know definitely whether or not Nurmi is to compete at the B. A. A. games. As yet the Finn has not signified his intentions as to what program he will carry out. Should Tom sign Nurmi for the Boston classic he will have scored a tenstrike.

It was formally announced today that Murray Hulbert, president of the Amateur Athletic Union, had accepted the invitation to act as referee of the B. A. A. games at the Arena on January 31.

Hulbert is not new to track fans in this section, having acted as referee at the first indoor meet of the K. of C.

## Yost Deplores Post-Season Game Tendency

Chicago, Jan. 5 (A. P.)—Fielding H. Yost, for 24 years gridiron coach at the University of Michigan, taking inventory of the national intercollegiate athletic situation, sounded a warning against post-season intersectional games, voiced his objections of professionalism and declared football not more than four football games a season should be scheduled that requires the players to be keyed up to the highest pitch.

Briefly, he says that sport is good only as sport, and that when it interferes with studies evil results are likely to follow. If intersectional games are to be played at all, they should be scheduled for the regular season.

At all events, the gridiron season should close by Thanksgiving time, and there should not be more than eight regular games on any schedule, he counsels.

Yost opposes post-season games because he says they establish a bad precedent, and any attempt to determine a national championship is wrong, because there are too many good teams in the country to consider in such an attempt.

"The appeal of a long trip is great to the boys, and as soon as one team goes across the country to play, many others want to follow. Unless checked the tendency would soon lead to a competitive run across the continent."

## YANKS' DEAL FOR MERKLE HELD UP BY ROCHESTER

New York, Jan. 5.—Inability of the New York Yankees to obtain a first baseman of adequate worth to give in exchange for Fred Merkle is holding up the proposed transfer of the former Giant from Rochester to the local American League Club, it became known today. The Yanks are attempting to swing either Onslow or Holt, first basemen of the International League club, in the deal, but without success to date.

## SPORT BROADCAST
& JIM MURPHY

### THE BALL PLAYERS' PARADISE

Ten of the sixteen major league baseball clubs will prepare for the 1925 campaign in Florida. This state has come to be known as the "Ball Players' Paradise," and it is freely predicted that the time is not far distant when all but one or two of the "Big Timers" will be within its confines during the spring training season.

What attracts club owners to Florida is the almost continuous flood of sun that casts its rays over the State, the absence of rain and the warm Gulf Stream, which adds to the warmth of the occasion.

Sun is what the ball player needs most during his preparation period. Old Sol will bring him out, drive loose his muscles tightened by a Winter of inactivity and gives him the chance to romp around freely without fear of stiffening up after strenuous exercise.

The other States in the South have their warm, sunny days, but none can compare with Florida for consistently hot, dry weather.

**GAMBLE ON WEATHER.**

During our visit to Miami with the Braves in 1917 we learned many fine things about the Florida climate, but what impressed us most of all was the almost complete absence of rain.

Miami gamblers, we were told, offered fabulous odds that it would not rain within a certain period that they might name, and after a stay of twenty days we were convinced that there might be some truth in these fairy tales after all.

Miami newspapers, proud of their weather, give away the complete home of any days that it rains. We were never able to secure a free copy.

It did rain twice, the night of our arrival and one other evening after dinner, but these wet periods never interrupted practice.

**RAIN A BUGABOO.**

If there is anything that a manager dislikes during the training season it is rain. A day of idleness kills his program of several days and oftentimes he is forced to work his men indoors to keep them on edge. He seldom runs against this bugaboo in Florida and that is what makes it so popular as a Spring rendezvous.

The thermometer in Miami, during the writer's stay there, ranged from 85 to 95 degrees and seldom fell below 80. But the weather was never humid, never like the weather that we experience in Boston during mid-Summer. The heat is a dry heat, comfortable for the vacationist and ideal for the player. It gives the player plenty of opportunity to sweat out and at the same time does not tax his strength.

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**THE SWING TO FLORIDA.**

To give the reader any idea of the great swing to Florida we print a list of the teams which will train in this State and the towns in which they will pitch camps:

American League—New York, St. Petersburg; Cleveland, Lakeland; St. Louis, Tarpon Springs; Philadelphia, Fort Meyers; Washington, Tampa.

National League—Boston, St. Petersburg; New York, Sarasota; Cincinnati, Orlando; Brooklyn, Clearwater; Philadelphia, Bradentown.

**HOT SPRINGS PASSES OUT**

Time was when Hot Springs, Ark., was a favorite spot with ball clubs. The old championship Red Sox clubs were trained there, and at one time two teams, the Red Sox and Pirates, prepared there at the same time. Even today some of the veteran big leaguers do their preliminary work at Hot Springs, but wander off to warmer fields for final tuning up.

Texas was another favorite spot. But it, too, has passed out.

Only one other State today has more than one club training there, and that is California, where the Cubs, Cardinals and Pirates will do their warming up.

## Jamaica Pond Ice Carnival Postponed Until Thursday

Owing to the recent storm Commissioner James B. Shea of the Boston Park Department has been forced to postpone the Skating Carnival until Thursday.

Meantime George Brown, manager of the Arena, has assured those in charge of the carnival that he will see to it that plenty of the fancy ice skaters and speed merchants who have been indoor ice palace will be on hand.

The events will include one mile, three mile and five mile race for men with a special one mile companion race for mixed couples. Working boys and girls of 13 years of age and under will have an 880-yard race for their benefit. Fancy skating for individuals and mixed couples will be another of the feature numbers.

Those wishing to compete in the Carnival can do so by sending their name to John A. Lane, Boston Park Department, No. 33 Beacon street, or by leaving names with instructors at any of the gymnasiums or skating rinks controlled by the Park Department.

## "Duke" Farrell Goes Under Knife Today

Charley "Duke" Farrell, who for years was regarded as about the best catcher in the business, and who for the past two seasons has been scouting and coaching for the Boston Braves, is to be operated upon for stomach trouble at the Carney Hospital today.

He has been at the hospital under observation since last Thursday. Inquiry late last night elicted the response that his condition was about the same as when he entered the hospital.

## DILBOYS TO STAGE TRI-CITY TOURNEY

Thursday evening in K. of C. Hall, Somerville, Dilboy Post, V. F. W., will stage its first amateur tri-city tournament between teams from Philadelphia, New Haven and Boston.

Routs will be held in the 128, 147 and heavyweight classes. There will be competition in two open classes, 118 and 136.

## HAVERHILL TO SELECT COACH TOMORROW

By FRED C. LANE.

The Haverhill School Board will meet tomorrow night for definite action on the high school coaching problem, it was learned today. The works have been crossed up since Coach Henry M. Batchelder of Malden rescinded his verbal agreement to take charge of athletics at the Shoe City.

Arthur Goodreau, of Malden, who was signed to act as assistant to Coach Batchelder, is willing to live contract and there is considerable speculation as to what action the members are to take.

The present coach, Charlie Dickerman, still has many friends in the Shoe City who are anxious for his return. It is a known fact that two members of the present board are keen for his reinstatement, but Call Robinson of Huntington School who has likewise passed along to higher institutions.

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## N. E. A. A. U. Title Events to Be Distributed

Because of the difficulty experienced in conducting the N. E. A. A. U. indoor track and field championships each year, it has been decided to follow the example of the Metropolitan A. A. U. in the coming indoor season and award the championship events to the different scheduled open meetings.

Heretofore the N. E. A. A. U. program has been decided at the annual triangular games in which Harvard, Dartmouth and Cornell have participated, but as the triangular meeting comes on the same night in which the annual A. A. U. championships are to be held at Louisville, and the fact that the triangular affair could not be held at any other time, the championships had to be dropped by the colleges.

It is a rule of the A. A. U. that no meet coming under its jurisdiction shall be held on the day or night of the championships, which accounts for the decision of the track and field championship committee of the New England body to adopt the New York idea.

As a result, four of the championship events will make up the program of the Knights of Columbus meet at Mechanic's Building, Feb. 7. The title events will include the 300-yard run, 45-yard high hurdles, 16-pound shot and running high jump.

It is planned also to have other title events included in the program of the American Legion games in the East Armory on Washington's Birthday.

## MILWAUKEE SHORTSTOP WINS A. A. BATTING TITLE

Chicago, Jan. 5.—Lester Bell, shortstop of the Milwaukee team, was awarded batting honors of the American Association in the official figures published here today. Bell played in 154 games, was officially at bat 610 times, made 230 hits and his batting average was .366.

Smith of Kansas City was the Association's leading slugger, knocking out 23 homers, 17 triples and 45 doubles.

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Scholastic coaches will find their charges in fine trim when practise in track and hockey is resumed today. The Christmas vacation has proven a splendid training period with ample ice on which to practise and bare ground on which to practise racing starts.

Activities in both these lines of sport will be resumed with added zest, for little time is left coaches to mould their charges into fighting trim. In Boston circles, track is the dominating Winter activity.

As yet the schedule has not been given out, but following out the usual custom of preceding years the soft shoe artists will be busy bodies from January 20 on. To break up the monotony of the daily routine, the B. A. A., Huntington and the Massachusetts High School Athletic Association meet run in conjunction with the Harvard affair gives the scholastic stars of the banked corners the incentive to train hard and diligently for the big happenings.

**WINNER AT BROOKLINE.**

The possibilities are exceptionally bright for a winning team at Brookline. Coach Hines has a raft of veteran material on which to work. In addition to the known quantity, he has a number of aspirants that shape up mighty well and may prove worth while. What Newton lacks in track prestige they make up in hockey, for the school is again represented by a fast, snappy aggregation of puck chasers that will win many honors on the runners.

The Boston High School coaches had but a week or so to judge their possibilities on the track. Up to the vacation they had done little with the candidates except for the intermediates and juniors. In these two classes are found the majority of the point scorers, which causes coaches in all the Hub schools to center their attention on the younger element for their strength.

**MEDFORD HAS STRENGTH.**

Medford High will again be represented by a strong track team but the loss of Hank Moore, Harold Moody and Kelley will be felt. Henry Hormel and Orpen are still capable of winning points in the dashes and long distance races, yet Coach Mansfield will find it difficult to uncover a high scorer with the ability of Harold Moody. Moody in his last year as a schoolboy was doing close to six feet in this event and was only surpassed in the many meets by Call Robinson of Huntington School who has likewise passed along to higher institutions.

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### School Sports This Week

HOCKEY.

Today—Cambridge Latin at Arlington (league); Brookline at Rindge, Russell Field, Cambridge (league); Watertown at Belmont.

Tuesday—Stone at Melrose.

Wednesday—Newton at Stoneham (league); Cambridge Latin at Harvard, 2d; Dorchester at Melrose; Wellesley at Belmont.

Friday—Melrose at Belmont (league).

Saturday—Somerville at Melrose; Cambridge Latin at St. Mark's, Southboro; Browne and Nichols at Newton; Stone at Middlesex; Huntington at Pomfret; B. C. High vs. Commerce, East Boston vs. Brighton and Mechanic Arts vs. Latin, all at Arena.

TRACK.

Friday—Newton interclass.

Saturday—Brookline at Brockton.

BASKETBALL.

Tuesday—Stoughton at Medford; Chelsea at Winchester (league); Natick at Winthrop (league).

Wednesday—U. S. S. Nantucket at Somerville; Watertown at Framingham league).

Friday—Medford at Fitchburg; Somerville at Revere; Everett at Norwood; Alumni at Milton High; Watertown at Natick (league); Framingham at Brockton (league); Winchester at Winthrop (league); Wakefield at Chelsea (league).

SWIMMING.

Thursday—Gardner at Brookline. Friday—Newton at Rindge.

## Inside Golf

By CHESTER HORTON
Maker of 81 Golf Champions, "Golf's most successful teacher," says "Chick" Evans.

*This is the seventh in a series of golf lessons by Mr. Horton. These articles appear daily in the sporting section of the Boston American. They are intended to improve your game. Whether you are a duffer, a good average golfer or an expert, you will find valuable advice in them.*

Some two years ago, through a discussion with "Chick" Evans of the mechanics of his remarkable golf swing, I developed as a part of my teaching system a movement that I called the "pull down." One of the leading London golf publications has since compli-mented this "pull down" as "very near the last word among golf simplifying aids for the average player."

This "pull down" has a two-fold purpose. It enables the golfer to rid his swing of the disastrous body push, with which nearly every businessman-player is afflicted, and it makes the forward swing automatically rhythmic—or has a tendency to. Rhythm usually is lost in the forward swing because of the player's jerk of the club from the top of the back swing. The "pull down" enables the player to initiate this take-off without the jerk. In subsequent articles this week I shall describe the "pull down" so that the ordinary golfer can apply it to his own game.

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## Notre Dame Manager Dislikes Name 'Four Horsemen'

San Francisco, Jan. 5.—The practice of defining the backfield of the Notre Dame football team as "the Four Horsemen," today brought forth from Leo Stoffle, manager. In a statement to a newspaper, he said:

"If you want to do something for us and for Notre Dame that we would appreciate more than anything else, give us credit for this infernal 'Four Horsemen' business.

"We're all sick and tired of it. Notre Dame is a team, not a collection of four horsemen and seven mules."

## Crowley, Notre Dame Star, Collapses

San Francisco, Jan. 5. — James Crowley, one of the famous four horsemen on the Notre Dame football team, is in the St. Francis Hospital recovering from a nervous collapse which he suffered while on the train bringing the squad from Pasadena, Cal., where the "Irish" defeated Stanford, 27 to 10, New Year's Day.

His was taken from the train to the hospital, where it was said that his condition, though improved, probably would not permit him to start for South Bend with the team. His breakdown was attributed to over strain.

Harry Stuhldreher, another of the horsemen, arrived on crutches with his left leg in a cast, but was able to accompany the squad on the tour of entertainments. A bone in his ankle was broken early in the game, but he played until near the end.

## Baseball Tourists Are Honored by France

Paris, Jan. 5.—John McGraw, Charles Comiskey and Hughey Jennings have been awarded silver medals by the French Baseball Federation, while each member of the New York Giants and Chicago White Sox who visited Paris last November is to receive a bronze medal as a souvenir of the trip.

The diploma accompanying this tribute to the American ball players, which will be taken to New York by "Sparrow" Robertson, the federation's special courier, saying on the Savoie, January 10, contains an allegorical reference to the big leaguers "moving seed from to which the great game of baseball is expected to spring in Europe."

Robertson also bears a letter from the federation's president, Pierre Reichel, extending an invitation for McGraw and Comiskey to visit France again this Autumn, when the federation undertakes to make all the preliminary arrangements to insure the success of the games.

### Hockeyists Traded

Calgary, Alberta, Jan. 5.—Bernie Morris, forward, and Bobby Benson, defense man of the Calgary Tigers, have been sold to the new Montreal Club.

## MURRAY HO... 4-POINT LE... IN SUBURB...

Murray retains its hold... in the Boston Suburban... League, according to offici... announced today. Cross ... and the Eagles third.

At the rate the teams ar... nobody is looking for a ... race as the first eight clubs ... bunched. The standing:

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| Murray | | |
| Lowell | | |
| Eagle | | |
| Arlington | | |
| Malden | | |
| Dilts Park | | |
| Wendell | | |
| Central | | |
| Melrose | | |
| Revere | | |
| Lynn Station | | |
| Eagleton | | |
| Cottagehurst | | |
| Mattapan | | |
| Green Hall | | |

Individual averages—Rounds ... 27-27); Thews, Cen., 307 [illegible]; Hall, Mur., 310-[illegible]; Kinney, Mur., 304-[illegible]; Copley, Cot., 306-11-27; Kane, Mal., 307-[illegible]; Hayes, Mur., 304-[illegible]; Wass, Mur., 304-[illegible]; Bath, Cen., 303-[illegible]; Ware, Mal., 304-11-30; McCarthy, Cen., 304-[illegible]; Fowler, Arl., 304-4-30; Gee, Low., 303-[illegible]; Gallard, Arl., 304-[illegible]; Dooley, H. P., 303-[illegible]; Wile, ... 303-24-27; Smith, Wen., 303-[illegible]; Mitchell, Web., 303-[illegible]; Hackett, Low., 303-[illegible]; Mahon, H. P., 303-[illegible]; Mac, Mel., 303-[illegible]; Wass, Mur., 303-[illegible]; Hone, Med., 303-[illegible]; Wiles, Sa., 303-[illegible]; Sanborn, Wat., 302-[illegible]; Hall, Mur., 302-[illegible]; Stansbury, Cen., 302-[illegible]; Cen., 302-[illegible]; Mac, Mel., 302-[illegible]; Penn, Cen., 302-[illegible]; Cen., 302-[illegible]; Penn, Cen., 302-[illegible]; Jones, Cen., 301-[illegible]; Sta., 301-[illegible]; Green, Cen., 301-[illegible]; McLean, Cen., 301-[illegible]; Sta., 301-[illegible]; Hawthorne, Mal., 301-[illegible]; Leavitt, Cen., 300-[illegible]; Gates, Low., 300-[illegible]; Rose, Mal., 299-[illegible]; Valeri, Cen., 299-[illegible]; Cen., 299-[illegible]; Burke, Dor., 299-[illegible]; Rev., 100; Starr, Mal., 299-[illegible]; Cen., 299-[illegible]; Sprod, Med., 298-[illegible]; Rose, Mal., 298-[illegible]; McLeod, Web., 298-[illegible]; Cen., 298-[illegible]; Naples, Wat., 298-[illegible]; Wil., 297-[illegible].

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| Calf | 13½ in. |

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Flowers is the latest fistic sensation and a contender for Harry Greb's middleweight title. He recently knocked out Johnny Wilson, former champion of the 158-pounders. Britton scored an important victory over George Robinson here several weeks ago.

# WALKER SCALES 155 LBS. FOR M'TIGUE GO

New York, Jan. 5.—Mickey Walker, world's welterweight champion, will weigh nearly 155 pounds when he steps into the ring at Newark on Wednesday in an attempt to lift the light heavyweight crown from the Celtic pate of Mike McTigue, according to an announcement from Walker's camp today.

McTigue's advantage in avoirdupois is expected to exceed twenty pounds.

The bout is scheduled to go twelve rounds but, as decisions are forbidden in New Jersey, the title cannot change hands unless Walker wins by a knockout, on a foul, or McTigue suffers an injury that would prevent him from continuing to the finish.

## Goullett, Bike King, Weds Tonight

New York, Jan. 5.—According to a report in circulation today, Alf Goullett, former king of the six-day bike riders, will be married this evening in Newark. The bride, it is reported, will be Miss Jane Rooney of that city.

HOCKEY RESULTS
Cambridge C. C. 8, Kenali H. C. 2.
SOCCER RESULTS
Fall River 8, Shawsheen 0.
Brockton Wanderers 1, Providence 0.

# BASKETBALL NOTES

NORFOLK ASSOCIATES challenge any 146-pound team in New England. The Norfolk Associates is a combine of the Samsetts and Elmwoods of a year ago. The roster consists of the following stars: Ned Ball, Tom Turley, Bobby Reid and Al Foy of Samosset fame and Charlie Stewart and Carl Feiler of Elmwood fame. Manager Joe Lewis, No. 32 Linwood street, Roxbury; phone Roxbury 407-J between 6 and 7 p. m.

Joe Lewis.

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Northern Club Shamrocks of Charlestown would like to hear from the best amateur and semi-pro teams in the State for games at home Saturday evenings and away on other nights. Weymouth Owls, St. Mary Crimsons and teams of that calibre preferred. Manager Eddie Johnson, No. 22 Monument street; phone Charlestown 0441-R.

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Roxbury Braves would like to arrange games with 90-100-pound teams in Greater Boston. Manager William Joy, 40 East Cottage street, phone Roxbury 0073-W.

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West End Knights of Columbus would like to arrange games away from home with any fast semi-pro teams in New England. Manager George Leary, No. 80 Blossom street, City.

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The Summer Five of Boston seek games with 90-100-pound teams in Greater Boston. Address Jimmie Dewan and Billy McLean, forwards; Frankie O'Connell and Sammy Gould, guards, and Joe Sullivan, center. Manager Charles F. Gould, No. 1024 Shawmut avenue, phone Roxbury 0030-J.

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Monarch Club of Chelsea desire games with 90-100-pound teams within the State. Manager Edward Rubin, No. 126 Chestnut street, phone Chelsea 0794-R.

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Notre Dame Club of Boston would like to meet the fastest semi-pro five in New England. Manager Bill Dawe, No. 12 Decatur street, phone Roxbury 2508-M.

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St. Stanislaus A. A. of Chelsea would like to arrange games with any of the 125-pound teams in New England. Manager Stanley Gutowski, No. 81 Pembroke street, Chelsea.

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The St. Joseph C. C. of Roxbury desire games with any 146-150-pound teams in the State, home or away from home preferred. Manager Denny Regan, No. 42 Dale street, Roxbury. Tel. Roxbury 3696-M.

## Readville Again in Grand Circuit List

Cleveland, Jan. 5.—Scheduled for racing on Grand Circuit tracks throughout the United States will be drawn up by the stewards of the association at the annual meeting which convenes here today.

From indications before the meeting, it appeared that the circuit for 1925 would be made up of Toledo, Columbus, Kalamazoo, Hartford, Syracuse, Readville, Lexington, Auburn and Cleveland.

Reports that Atlanta and Poughkeepsie would seek dates this year were discounted when representatives failed to appear for the meetings. The rules committee was considering several important changes in present regulations including a provision that horses be classified on the "win race" basis, rather than as at present upon the time made. It was reported also that "claiming races" may be inaugurated in the lower classes.

# MONTOUR WILL SCALP STASIAK ON THURSDAY

The most important wrestling bout of the season will be staged at the Grand Opera House on Thursday night when Stanley Stasiak, Lion of Poland, mingles with Chief Montour, Delaware Indian.

Stasiak and Montour have both had long runs of victories since the mat season got under way. Stasiak's huge bulk and strength have enabled him to overpower his lighter opponents.

Montour has rode roughshod over his mat rivals. He is as strong as Stasiak, while he is considerably rougher than Stasiak. At times the Indian has resorted to unsportsman-like tactics which have caused him to lose favor with the fans.

The fact that Stasiak and Montour are both unpopular has added to the interest in this match. The fans are anxious to see which of the two will be eliminated.

The winner will be in line for bouts with Strangler Lewis and Leone Labriola, Italian heavyweight. As a result they are showing plenty of enthusiasm in their training. The rival grapplers will enter the ring in the best of condition and will not be able to offer any alibis if defeated.

## National Hockey League

| | Games W | T | L | Goals For | Agst | Pts |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hamilton | 8 | 1 | 2 | 43 | 29 | 17 |
| Ottawa | 7 | 2 | 2 | 42 | 18 | 16 |
| Montreal | 8 | 1 | 5 | 29 | 23 | 11 |
| Toronto | 7 | 1 | 5 | 23 | 31 | 9 |
| Ottawa | 6 | 0 | 5 | 33 | 27 | 11 |
| St. Pats | 4 | 0 | 6 | 18 | 38 | 8 |
| Boston | 2 | 0 | 10 | 20 | 58 | 4 |

# ST. PAT'S CLASH WITH BRUINS TONIGHT

| BOSTON BRUINS. | ST. PATS. |
|---|---|
| Mitchell, Jackies, Lw. | r.w., Dye |
| Sparrow, Hradley, c. | c., Adams |
| Skinner, Redding, r.w. | l.w., McCaffrey |
| Stuart, Ld. | r.d., Corbeau |
| Herberts, r.d. | l.d., Dey |
| Stewart, g. | g., Rossi |

Another lively game of professional hockey will usher in the great week of the winter pastime at the Arena tonight when the Boston Bruins tackle the St. Pat's of Toronto in the National Hockey League series.

The Bruins have established themselves as the most aggressive team in the league. The locals occasionally become engaged in brawls, but these indicate the earnestness.

The Bruins lost three tough games last week. One goal wins were scored against them by the leading Hamilton Tigers and Montreal, while Ottawa managed to make the winning margin three goals.

The local players are just beginning to understand each other's style of play. The other teams in the league have been together for years and the players know each other's method. This is an important factor in hockey.

Coach Ross will produce a defense against the St. Pat's that should be very effective. Big Jim Herberts and Red Stuart team up well in front of the net, while Dr. Charlie Stewart in goal is justifying all the fine things Ross expected of him.

These three capable defense men will have their work cut out tonight keeping tabs on the elusive Babe Dye. Babe possesses the deadliest shot ever seen in local hockey.

## "Hago" Harrington Leads Puck Scorers

"Hago" Harrington of the B. A. A. is leading the scorers in the Eastern division of the United States Amateur Hockey Association. The Melrose boy has scored six goals in the six games the Unicorn has played.

Howell Van Gehrig and Eddie Enright, both of the B. A. A., are trailing with five goals each. Chet Hanrix leads the Maple scorers with three goals.

The complete summary of goals scored follows:

Harrington, Melrose, 6; A. A., 6; Van Gerbig, B. A. A., 5; Enright, B. A. A., 5; Harris, Maples, 3; Lowery, B. A. A., 3; Hanrix, Fort Pitt, 3; La Rose, Fort Pitt, 3; Hughes, B. A. A., 2; Cox, Maples, 2; Morton, Maples, 2; Joliat, Maples, 2; Peters, Maples, 2; Mooney, Maples, 2; Wilkinson, Unicorn, 2; Bacon, B. A. A., 2; Sills, Fort Pitt, 2; Armstrong, Fort Pitt, 2; Scott, B. A. A., 2; Reynolds, Boston H. C., 1; Hutchinson, Boston H. C., 1; Hall, B. A. A., 1; Lee, B. A. A., 1; Scott R. H. C., 1; Lepine, Fort Pitt, 1; Long, Maples, 1.

### ARENA GAMES THIS WEEK.

TONIGHT
Boston Bruins vs. St. Pat's of Toronto. (Pro League series).

TUESDAY NIGHT
Boston Colleges vs. Queen's College.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT
Maples vs. Boston Hockey Club (U. S. League series.)

THURSDAY NIGHT
Harvard varsity vs. B. A. A.

FRIDAY NIGHT
Boston Hockey Club vs. Fort Pitt (U. S. League series.)

SATURDAY NIGHT
B. A. A. vs. Fort Pitt (U. S. League series.)
Maples vs. St. Nicholas of New York.

## U. S. Amateur League

(Eastern Division)

| | Games W | T | L | Goals For | Agst | Pts |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston A. A. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 29 | 13 | 6 |
| Maple A. A. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 16 | 17 | 4 |
| Fort Pitt | 2 | 0 | 2 | 7 | 17 | 2 |
| Boston H. C. | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 16 | 0 |

(Western Division)

| | Games W | T | L | Goals For | Agst | Pts |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Duluth | 7 | 2 | 2 | 17 | 8 | 16 |
| Pittsburgh | 6 | 1 | 1 | 14 | 6 | 14 |
| Minneapolis | 4 | 1 | 2 | 17 | 12 | 14 |
| Cleveland | 4 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 12 | 8 |
| Chicago | 5 | 1 | 10 | 21 | 20 | 7 |
| St. Paul | 7 | 0 | 11 | 17 | 27 | 4 |

## 20,000 Saw Games at Arena Rink Last Week

Over 20,000 people attended the hockey games at the Arena last week, thereby establishing a new record for hockey attendance in this country. In the double-header staged on Thursday night over 6,000 persons jammed their way into the big enclosure and many were turned away.

## TOWNSFOLK TO HONOR DICK LOFTUS THURSDAY

Dick Loftus of Concord, a Brockton Dodger, is to be honored Thursday evening at a public banquet in Ye Colonial Inn, Concord.

The toastmaster will be Edward F. Loughlin, old Harvard player. Eddie Mahan, Harvard baseball coach, will be the principal speaker. Eddie McGinley of Boston will be the entertainer.

The banquet has been arranged by a committee including Edward F. Loughlin, Alexander R. Macleod, Burleigh L. Pratt, W. Alfred Wilson, Joseph Gregg, Bernard McGrath and Dr. John Fallon.

# Selections--Mounts--Prices

## CONSENSUS OF OPINION OF LEADING HANDICAPPERS

AT NEW ORLEANS.
BEST BET—Peppre.

| | |
|---|---|
| 1—Peppre | 24 points |
| Remnant | 18 points |
| Perpiarit | 12 points |
| 2—My Destiny | 24 points |
| Fulbright Abbey | 18 points |
| Little Gipsy | 8 points |
| Lem Ireland | 12 points |
| Captain Seth | 20 points |
| Mat Evans | 14 points |
| 4—Mabel C. | 20 points |
| Jacrick | 16 points |
| Tony Griffith | 12 points |
| 5—Boy o' Boy | 20 points |
| Pirate Gold | 20 points |
| Midwester | 18 points |
| 6—Thimble | 18 points |
| Everhold | 16 points |
| Dandy Brush | 12 points |
| 7—Warren Lynch | 18 points |
| David Harum | 16 points |
| Cameron | 10 points |
| 8—San Lucio, E. Legore | 18-1 |
| 10—Trooper, E. Reskin | 15-1 |
| —Colonel Wagner, B. Tiger | 12-1 |
| 9—Whirling Dan, A. Rodriguez | 10-1 |
| —Searchlight 3d, D. Reiger | 8-1 |
| —Scarlet Bugler, D. Fisher | 15-1 |
| 11—Stump, Jr., J. Riglois | 15-1 |
| —Floraclow, V. Moore | 12-1 |
| —Bonnie D. Jones | 10-1 |
| 12—Scapy | 15-1 |
| 5—Debate | 20-1 |

## Selections

COLLYER'S DAILY
MOST PROBABLE WINNER—Tony Griffith.
BEST TAKE A CHANCE—Pirate Gold, PARLAY—Pyreet, Julia M. and Tony Griffith.

AT NEW ORLEANS.
1—Julia M., Peppre, Remnant.
2—Pyreet, Exodus, Boo Boo.
3—Silliken, Lembello, June, sixty.
4—Tony Griffith, Jacqua, Maraco.
5—Boy o' Boy, Midwestern, Pirate G.
6—Lily M. Everhold, Thimble.
7—Warren Lynch, Colonel Wagner, Warren Lynch.
BEST—Tony Griffith.

LIVE WIRE.
ONE MORE SPECIAL—Pirate Gold, sixth.
NEW ORLEANS—Best—Peppre, Remnant, Orvenstine, Leonardo, third.
LIVE WIRE PARLAY—Colonel Wagner and Pirate Gold, win.

CLOCKERS REVIEW.
FREE CODE—Midwestern, fifth.
SPECIALS—Charles Henry, first; David Harum, seventh.

WEEKLY FLASH.
FREE CODE—Pyreet, second.
SPECIALS—Anticipate, Firsty Midwestern, fifth.

GRAPHIC WEEKLY.
SPECIALS—New Hope, second; David Harum, seventh.

JERRY DUNN.
MIDWESTERN, fifth.

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## Moe and Joe They Get the Dough--Sometimes

SAY, MOE! WILL YOU TAKE CARE OF THE JOINT WHILE I GO OUT AND INHALE SOME GRUB!
A THREE LETTER WORD MEANING THE OPPISITE OF NO!
TELEGRAMS
AH! A CUSTOMER!
HERE! A MESSAGE, YOUNG MAN, SEND IT C.O.D AND P.D.Q!
NITE LETTERS
MIKE. "Boy d' Boy" IS A SURE THING, CAN'T LOSE! PLAY IT HEAVY! IKE
"$500 on Boy o' Boy's nose and half a grand to peep"
DONE BY DUNN
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Frank Munroe didn't do right by Moe Saturday and got him real peeved. The little plunger hotfooted after some info and today is shooting at an oat eater that was handed to him by one of the smartest rail birds on the reservation.

The B. R. is now $16,118.54.

# RADIO AMERICAN


*Tonight's Radio Features*
WNAC, Shepard Stores—Artists from "Dixie to Broadway" colored revue.
WEEI, Edison Light—Radio Mystery.

Thousands hear Martha Lee's Radio Chat every day from WNAC

## URSULA O'HARE SINGS AT WNAC TOMORROW

### Boston Stage Star to Be Heard With Boston American Orchestra

Tomorrow evening Ursula O'Hara will broadcast for the first time to a Boston audience from Station WNAC, The Shepard Stores. Born and educated in Boston, Miss O'Hara achieved her first great theatrical success with Fred Stone in "Tip-top," and later as leading lady in "Irene." The beautiful voice

URSULA O'HARE

which fitted Miss O'Hare to play these roles will make her a delightful addition to the already popular Tuesday evening program by the Boston American Orchestra from this station.

Owing to the terms of the contract under which Miss O'Hare has been appearing, she has been precluded from broadcasting except on the occasion of one broadcast from a New York station.

## U. S. ISSUES NEW RULE ON RADIO WAVE LENGTH

Washington, Jan. 5.—Under revised regulations governing amateur radio station operations, just issued by the commerce department, amateurs must cease using the wave length land between 165 and 110 meters. This section of either exactly is being taken up by commercial and government stations.

Amateurs who operate with a spark set, which the department classified as a source of much interference, are instructed to use only the wave length band between 175 and 180 meters until such time as they have installed a transmission system productive of less trouble to other radio communication.

## ATLANTIC LINERS ARE DELAYED BY WEATHER

New York, Jan. 5.—The Anchor Line steamship Assyria docked here four days overdue and the French liner Paris arrived twelve hours late, both delayed by heavy weather.

## Accurate---TODAY'S RADIO PROGRAMS---Easy to Read

### TONIGHT'S FEATURES

MUSICAL REVUE

11:35—WNAC—Shepard Stores—Artists from "Dixie to Broadway" colored revue.

MYSTERY

8:00—WEEI—Edison Light—Radio mystery.

IVORY KING

9:00—WJS—Jefferson City—Harry Snodgrass, "King of the Ivories."

FARCE

9:00 — WHAZ — Troy — One act farce, "That Brute Simmons."

### 293—WNAC, SHEPARD STORES.

11:30—Time signals and weather.
12:00—Theatrical reports.
12:05—Organ recital, luncheon from King's Chapel. "Hosanna" ..... South
"Adagio" from "Symphonie Gothique" ..... Widor
Solo in D Flats, "Impromptu" ..... Lemare
"Valse" from "Sylvia" ..... Delibes
"In Garrett (Rustic Wedding Suite) ..... Goldmark
"Good Night" ..... Rotoli
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SECOND SECTION

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# LAWSON CRUSHED BY DEATH OF WIFE

## *Steam-Driven Plane to Give U. S. Supremacy of Air*

## NICK NACKS
*By NICK FLATLEY*

TOO SILLY FOR WORDS — By Charlie

That Maine embargo against English goods does not, of course, apply to the wet kind.

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Phrases given diaries are evidently expected to make more than one entry.

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*No matter how darn hard I strive,*
*I cannot write it, '25.*

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SOUNDS REASONABLE

Cuba wants law passed imposing big fine on those who fail to vote. That's an idea.

Why not fine the husband who failed to match the silk for the wife?

Why not tax the fraud who makes the bacon in the morning?

Why not assess the bird who makes emergency grouse word guesses on the cars?

Why not collect from the boy who says it's pre-war?

Why not gather from the girl who's an hour late?

Why not get something from the State when the number plates wear off?

Why not make the amateur mechanics pay for it?

FABLE

There was a young fellow who didn't smile when he read in the truthful press that the New Year welcome was dry.

THE GOOD OLD DAYS

The old-fashioned dance is coming back, we read.

For this purpose we have engaged Professor Gilda and Madame Strutt pictured above to teach the devotees of Terpsichore the latest, also the oldest steps. Here you would float over the floor, in picture of rhythmic elegance and artistic beauty, see the poof. Now do your own stuff. Chances will be held at all the mergers, to break up all the dead ones. Make reservations early.

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We are willing to collect funds for the monument for the State inspectors who tested 6,700 kinds of home-made stuff during the past year.

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Truth, rather than profit, is the slogan of the merchant who advertises "Half Values in Rugs."

25 YEARS FROM TODAY

*Medals made from the Liberty Bell were today awarded to one hundred Bostonians, who furnished affidavits to prove they had not been out after dark for the past twelve months.*

*An Everett man was sentenced to one year for reckless traffic violation. He was captured with a two-cheeled machine known as a bicycle long since. He was said to be traveling at least seven miles an hour.*

*State authorities have closed an unique exhibition at which a silk stocking was shown.*

IN RE MULLIGAN

Demosthenes Mulligan — Cleopatra Mulligan

Reverend Sir: It is high time that the fair name of the Mulligans, as well as the name of the fair Mulligans, be cleared in this matter that is too much in the public eye just now. Years of association, social and professional, have taught me no finer family lives than said Mulligans. The Lafayette branch are fellow-lights, one and all. I first encountered them in St. Petersburg, Russia, while I was investigating the effects of vodka on elderberry. That were then known as the Dumovitis. Perhaps my startled surprise, that, when I met them, as chowder party guests of the West Side Dante Club at their island, and Kalinka, its parents, had purposed not as Demosthenes and Cleopatra, respectively, while the lady, Sarah, a most precocious and propulsive infant, was nothing less than Lafayette. For the purposes of historical investigation, Professor Gildo of the older Mulligans, see Dunwitch, and trust this epistle will contain a most implacable testimonial to their darkness. Believe me, sir, to be, all most respectfully yours,

P. BOLINBROKE O'FLACTERY.

FINISH THIS ONE

My husband has given up cremona-cona-monas and will smoke nothing but five-cent cigars for the rest of the year.

*The team that was on the stage when the ceiling fell in that Pawtucket theatre will now demand the big time. They brought down the house.*

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Most of us, on similar celebrations, will be a lot closer to fire than the old boy who observed his 100th birthday by chopping wood.

LAZY LUKE SAYS

It's a long lane that has no speak easy.

*To be continued.*

## LAWSON IS BOWED IN GRIEF

**Totters on Brink of Insanity as "The Only Girl" Passes to the Great Beyond**

*THIS is the twenty-ninth chapter of the adventurous career of Thomas W. Lawson, onetime financial mogul, now broken in health and spirit and close to poverty. Previous chapters have related his adventures in finance, in home building, and as an author.*

THE "graveyards" of the newspapers throughout the nation and the world contain hundreds of thousands of clippings under the file of Thomas W. Lawson, but no newspaper "graveyard" is there with the story of his near precipitation into insanity.

A newspaper "graveyard" is its reference library, where files and records of men and women and events are treasured in their dusty envelopes from the first incident publicly recorded until the day the Master calls and the soil receives its own.

Drab tales these envelopes bear—and tales of romantic coloring—stories grim, and sordid and crushing in their pain, and stories that lilt and laugh in ecstacies of happiness.

The old Boston Journal itself is dead—victim indirectly of the Mussey touch—but from its yellowed pages, under date of August 7, 1916, the following item was clipped, with many others:

"Tenderly borne in the arms of six of the oldest employes of Dreamwold, all of whom had been her favorites, the body of Mrs. Thomas W. Lawson was placed in the Nest this afternoon where it will lie in its beautiful casket, enclosed in a steel case, till the permanent resting place is finished in the flower garden which surrounds the cottage.

### 28-Year Tie Broken

"No more appropriate last resting place could have been selected by the sorrowing, bereaved husband, for of all the beauty spots of Dreamwold, this little flower-surrounded cottage was Mrs. Lawson's favorite haunt.

"All the employes of the Lawson Summer home, especially the personal servants of the Hall, are greatly affected by the death of their mistress.

"During the services today, and when the six gray-haired men were bearing the body to the 'Nest' many of the latter were overcome by their grief and had to be led away."

On the day these lines were being read by the public—and for many dark days afterward—Thomas W. Lawson, kind father but still kinder husband, groped through his waking hours as a man bereft of his senses.

For twenty-eight years since 1878 these two, Tom Lawson and the former Jennie Goodwille of Cambridge, had lived together in as perfect a harmony as ever is found in the married state.

Everything that was good in Lawson—and his good side was not his public side—was given to his wife, his family and his hearth. Her slightest wish to him was ever a ringing command and even in his stricken, moody days of stubborn inaction she could turn him with a whisper into a soft mood.

The lives of few men of such influence and wealth are lived as true and blameless as the life lived by Tom Lawson with the wife he adored and revered.

Throughout the world there may be thousands of men and women who curse the name Lawson with every sun for the wreck and ruin of their homes, but none in the universe is there who can pick a flaw in or condemn his domesticity.

### All Paid Her Homage

The devotion of Mr. and Mrs. Lawson was commented on frequently, for it was always in evidence, even to the most casual observer.

Every morning, when the Lawsons were living in their town house at No. 1 Charlesgate East (now an apartment house site), she drove him to his offices at Young's Hotel behind a handsome span of horses that had cost him $8,000.

The pair and the Victoria in which

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## WHERE LAWSON'S LOVE LIES BURIED

"THE NEST," VINE COVERED COTTAGE KNOWN AS "THE NEST" WAS THE COSY RETREAT OF MR. AND MRS. THOMAS W. LAWSON, WHERE THEY RETIRED TO BE JUST BY THEMSELVES. IN ITS GARDEN MRS. LAWSON WAS LAID TO REST. HER SON, ARNOLD, HAS RECENTLY TAKEN IT OVER OUT OF THE WRECK OF LAWSON'S GREAT FORTUNE AND ESTATE. INSET IS OF LAWSON AT THE TIME OF HIS WIFE'S DEATH.

## WILL MAKE 300 MILES AN HOUR

**Trans - Atlantic Non - Stop Flights to Be Easy, Says Inventor**

New York, Jan. 5.—Flight across the Atlantic behind a powerful motor that will not go dead. Non-stop flights across the continent at will. A non-explosive engine, using no gasoline or volatile gas, but a fuel costing three cents a gallon.

A noiseless engine which will last fifty years, carry an airplane 300 miles an hour and start instantly by pulling a lever in the cockpit.

Supremacy for America in military and commercial aviation.

These are a few of the startling highlights on the development of a compact, powerful and light-weight steam power plant of high pressure for aviation use, which were made public here today.

The inventor, H. Crossland Pfaff, mechanical engineer, who has spent seven years and $200,000 in perfecting the new power plant, has called in aeronautical engineers to examine its application.

**SOLVES PROBLEM.**

They pronounce it the solution of both heavier-than-air navigation. They declare it will eliminate all the dangers of short-lived and temperamental internal combustion gasoline engines. The engine is already applied for automobile use.

Major John Butler, secretary of the joint aeronautical board of the army and navy at Washington, who came to New York to learn some of the details of the marvelous development in aviation power plant, left town for Washington saying he was convinced the Pfaff system would revolutionize all flying. He added:

"If it is found to be as completely adaptable to various types of planes as it has been to several types of automobiles, and engineers assure me that it is, this will be the greatest single advance in the history of flying since the Wright brothers first flew at Kittyhawk."

Major Butler said he would undertake to arrange for prompt tests of the Crossland system, as it is shown by the army and navy air service at its great engineering centers, McCook Field, Dayton, O.

**BURNS CRUDE OIL.**

One of the significant points concerning the power plant is that it uses crude oil of twenty-six point gravity as fuel. This is obtainable in the East for three cents and in the West for three and one-half cents a gallon. The flame from a burner which gives 100 per cent. combustion does not come in direct contact with the boiler tubes.

The engine, being steam-driven, has an indefinite life. It might last forty or fifty years. An internal combustion engine such as the Liberty, using gasoline which is exploded in the cylinders with an electric spark, has an efficient life of from 100 to 200 hours.

The Packard engines of Mayhem type in the dirigible Shenandoah have a problematical life of 1,000 hours, when they will have to be taken down.

The combustion chamber in the Pfaff plant, which is insulated with highly compressed asbestos packing, with a smooth enameled surface on the outside, is placed forward of the steam generator. This gives a naturally induced draft from the head of the airplane.

The engine starts almost instantly by pulling the throttle, as is the case with a steam locomotive. This will obviate hand whirling of the propeller and self-starters.

There is an elimination of all explosion shocks, there are no vulcanic-like explosions in the cylinders, as is the case with internal combustion gasoline motors.

**FLEXIBLE ENGINE.**

The new engine is extremely flexible and runs as smoothly as the power applied in an electric vehicle. There is no ignition in the Pfaff engine. Faulty ignition has been the cause of many an airplane crash.

No high tension electric system of any kind is employed. The lubrication system, necessarily maintained at from 25 to 60 pounds to the square inch to keep a Liberty motor from burning up, is maintained for the Pfaff power unit at an extremely low pressure.

The engine is virtually noiseless, a great advantage in aviation, the exhaust of a Liberty engine, for instance, is thunderous.

## MAN ADMITS HE IS 'BOBBED BANDIT'

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girls, but that they will be held on the other charge.

The "Purple Mask" has had the local merchants terrorized for several days. The "girl," as they thought, would enter a store, stick a gun in the face of the proprietor and the robbery would result.

Saturday evening Lawrence police came here with a warrant for four persons, two men and two women, who, they thought, were living on Arch street. They were waiting in the police station when a grocer, Walter Burnacki, rushed in and said he had been robbed by the bobbed-haired bandit of $100 a few minutes before.

The police then rushed to the Arch street house and found the four placed under arrest.

They found the money that had been stolen from Burnacki and a lot of pawn tickets, jewelry and other valuables, it is said. Under a kitchen table nails were found on which were hanging loaded revolvers.

When the quartette reached the police station they all blamed each other. Today the wrangling continued until finally, the police say, Lindenbon made his admission which clears the girl.

Lawrence police say the outfits are badly wanted in their city for activities along the same line there.

## TONG WAR FEARED AFTER CHINATOWN MURDER

New York, Jan. 5.—Fresh outbreak of the war between the On Leong and Hip Sing Tongs was seen by the police in the murder of Chin Hing, thirty-five, a seaman, said by the police to be a Hip Sing Tong man, in a chop suey restaurant in Chinatown.

As Hing entered the restaurant, which contained about thirty-five Chinese diners, four shots were fired and he fell dead across the table.

## MRS. ROSS SWORN IN AS WYOMING GOVERNOR

Cheyenne, Wyo., Jan. 5 (AP).—In an atmosphere of almost Puritan-like simplicity, Mrs. Nellie Taylor Ross, widow of the late executive of Wyoming was sworn into office as Governor of Wyoming. She is the first woman in the United States to become the Governor of a State.

## *Spain's Real Ruler Advocates U.S. Plan of Drug Control*

By REAR-ADMIRAL, THE MARQUIS DE MAGAZ
(Ad Interim President of the Spanish Military Directorate.)
Special Cable to the Hearst Newspapers

Madrid, Jan. 5.—There is only one way to look at the opium traffic—that is America's way. It is purely a humanitarian question.

If opium is bad, it must go. If it is not bad, then let it remain. But the Civilized World is agreed that it is not only bad, but it is one of the worst plagues that ever afflicted Civilization.

In finding a solution, however, the great material and financial interests bound up in the present traffic must not be overlooked if a peaceable result is to be achieved. If time is not given to these interests the result will be as fatal to the true interests of humanity as the opium itself.

Sometimes drastic measures may be unwise. This is one of them. In order to avoid a rupture some compromise should be found to permit the interests to gradually loosen their hold without causing economic chaos in the countries where opium is practically the only money making commerce.

Opium itself offers the suggestion for you cannot cure the opium smoker by depriving him of his drug. If you do, you kill him.

To cure the Orient of this vice must take years but I emphatically agree that the start must be made now, and preferably along the lines suggested by the United States.

## NORWOOD LAD IS VICTIM OF AMNESIA

Mystery surrounds the identification of John Maher of Norwood, as the amnesia victim, found wandering in Boston.

Maher's parents arrived from Norwood today, visited the Peycopathic Hospital with the police and identified their son. With him they left for home, leaving the police and hospital authorities as much in the dark as ever regarding the life of the young man and any possible cause for his lapse.

The young man was taken into custody by the police while wandering aimlessly along Washington street. When unable to give his name and address or any facts pertaining to his life he was taken to the Psychopathic Hospital.

Belief prevailed at first that the victim was Afred Adams Young, a student of journalism at Boston University. Young is missing from him home in Rochester, N. H., and Maher's description fitted exactly one of Young wired to Boston by the Rochester police.

Maher, when taken to the police station, said he had a vague recollection of being a college student. He proved himself an accomplished pianist by playing several selections for the police. Furnished with a piece of paper, he wrote:

"The uncertainty of this lapse of memory worries. I wonder if it is possible that I have any relatives who are searching for me? Can it be that, after all, I am only a wanderer, a bum? Is it possible that I am a thief, a criminal or a person of some kind?

"What to write is a difficult problem when one has nothing to write about."

## HOPELESSLY ILL, SOUTH END MAN SHOOTS SELF

Suffering from an incurable illness, Joseph E. Downes, forty-one years old, of No. 135 West Canton street, South End, committed suicide by shooting himself with a revolver. His body was found lying across the bed of the room by his sister, Miss Mary Downes.

## MUSSOLINI MAY ORGANIZE A DIRECTORY

London, Jan. 5 (I.N.S.).—Private advices from Italy today stated that the international situation there is extremely serious, with both Fascists and anti-Fascists in the smaller towns aroused to a high pitch.

Conflicts are likely to break out at any moment, these advices say. Large numbers of police stood by and watched the Fascisti wreck the Nuvo Giornale, a new paper of Florence, fearing to take a stand against the mob.

It is reported Mussolini plans to create a directory of three—himself and two generals—and impose martial law as a means of bringing order to Italy.

There were evidences in London today that the heavy censorship in Italy is being maintained, if not tightened. News of the troubles there is subject to long delays in transmission.

The government has ordered the dissolution of the Italia Libera Association, composed of former soldiers who are opposed to Fascismo.

London, Jan. 5.—The Turin correspondent of the Daily Mail reports that Signor Casati and Gingo Sarrocchi, both Liberals, have resigned as ministers of education and public works, respectively, in the Italian cabinet. Premier Mussolini replaced them by two Liberal deputies.

## FOUNDER OF SARGENT SCHOOL EULOGIZED

Services in memory of the late Dr. Dudley Allen Sargent, founder, were held yesterday afternoon at the Sargent School here.

Mrs. Milton Seeley, president of the school, was the presiding officer. The Rev. Raymond Calkins offered the prayer. The speakers included: Dr. J. McCurdy, president of the Y. M. C. A. College at Springfield; Professor Paul Hannes of Harvard; Dr. Taft McKenzie of the University of Pennsylvania; Carl Schrader, State supervisor of physical education; Ernest Hernann, Bertram Willard and Margaret Batchelder.

## SAD DAY FOR KIDDIES; GOING BACK TO SCHOOL

Today was a sad and solemn one for the school children. The Christmas-New Year's vacation was over and the schools reopened after the two weeks' recess. The Cambridge public schools, St. John's Parochial School and the Notre Dame de Pitie Parochial School all resumed sessions.

## OFFICER SAVES 5 FROM DEATH BY GAS FUMES

The timely arrival of Special Officer Louis DiSessa of the East Dedham street police station at his home probably saved the lives of his wife and three children and Mrs. Elizabeth M. Curran, wife of a Boston fireman.

Gas from a broken pipe leading fro mthe street had filled the rooms and basements of the three apartment house at No. 196 Sydney street, Savin Hill section of Dorchester. Mrs. Curran, living on the first floor, was awakened by the odor of gas and started upstairs to the third floor to rouse the family above. She drooped unconscious on the stairway.

DiSessa came home from work at ten o'clock in the morning. He smelled the gas and, rushing up the stairs, found the unconscious woman. In his apartment on the ground floor his wife, Mary, seven, Lillian, six, and Peter, three, were all slightly affected. They were asleep and in a short time, would probably have been completely overcome by the fumes.

DiSessa opened the windows and called the gas company and a physician.

### Tunnel Traffic Jam

North Adams, Jan. 5.—Two freight cars on an eastbound Boston & Maine train were derailed about 1,200 feet in from the eastern portal of the Hoosac Tunnel, and all traffic was tide up for several hours.

## IRENE CASTLE, DANCER, HAS NEW DAUGHTER

Chicago, Jan. 5.—Mother has been added to the titles of Irene Castle McLaughlin, dancer of the ballroom and motion picture, actress and once recently housewife.

A seven-pound daughter was born in a hospital. The baby probably will be named after Mrs. McLaughlin.

Mrs. McLaughlin was married to Major Frederic McLaughlin, Chicago sportsman and business man, late in June, when announced that she had taken the stage and screen for forever as housewife.

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## LISTEN, WORLD

By Elsie Robinson

WE pay important money to see dramas on the stage or read it in books. But what of the drama that is being enacted this very minute in the apartment across the hall or the shabby little house around the corner?

"Dear Elsie:

"Be prepared to read a book, for I am going to 'explode.' I am only 27 years old, my birthday was last week and I'm tired of everything. Tired even of life. Here is my story:

"I went two years to High and went to work at sixteen years. Married at nineteen and in a year I had a baby. Now I have two, the first baby a little girl and the second a boy just two months old, the first one is eighteen months.

"All I do is wash clothes, dishes and housework, my work never ends for

"Another thing, my husband starting in business has to be economical, for there are ever-head expenses. I am tired of scrimping and squeezing the nickels. We have plenty to eat and good things, only about $1.75 a week Insurance besides. Hiked every three months for insurance.

"I suppose you will give me a 'raking over,' but go ahead.

LONESOME AND TIRED."

"Give you a raking over?" Child, if you only knew how my eyes dimmed as I read that letter, and how my spirit bowed before you in reverence. No, I'm not writing fancy words to fill this space. Nor am I speaking for myself alone. I'm speaking for the Great Multitude who seem to have passed by and forgotten you, but who will stand with me here today and do honor to THE LITTLE TIRED MOTHERS WHO DON'T HAVE ANY FUN.

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## $500.00 IN JANUARY PRIZES OFFERED

EVERY single one of the 15,722 members of the WNAC American Women's Club will surely want to enter the January Prize Contest which will be the largest contest that has ever been conducted by our club.

There will be prizes ranging in value from a $140 washing machine to twenty consolation prizes, valued at $5.00 each, and every one of them is something I am sure your heart desires. All you have to do is to write a letter to Martha Lee on "How My Membership in the WNAC American Women's Club Has Helped Me."

Martha Lee is anxious to know how nearly her club has come to living up to its purpose to help New England women in their home life, so write her fully and freely how YOU have been helped.

Maybe it has been in advice received from her regarding your children's diet for school lunches or maybe in such a small thing as how to make crisp brown pie crust. No matter how small the benefit, she wants to know it. The only conditions of the contest are to write on one side of the paper and give your full name and address as well as your membership number in the WNAC American Women's Club.

Every member will be anxious to enter this contest, so this month it is not just confined to the good cooks. You may send as many letters as you wish, so start right in today.

The prizes will be on exhibition at the Club Headquarters, Room 551, 6 Winthrop Square, after Monday, January 9. It closes January 31. Tell your friends about this wonderful contest and give them an opportunity to be winners also.

The prizes are as follows:

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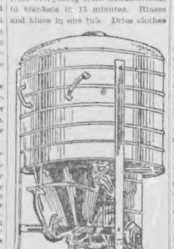

FIRST PRIZE—Laun-Dry-Ette washing machine, valued at $160. Will cleanse and dry your clothes without a wringer and will last a lifetime. Donated by R. V. Pettingill Electric Company.

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SECOND PRIZE is a $188.80 phonograph in mahogany console cabinet. Latest model. Clear, natural tone. Donated by Butler's Store.

THIRD PRIZE is a Console Table of inlaid antiqued marquetry, 36 inches diameter when opened. Valued $65.00. Donated by A. Lowenstein & Son.

FOURTH PRIZE—Cash Savings Deposit of $25.00 in Engineers' National Bank donated by President Kenneth Ferguson.

FIFTH PRIZE is a three-section buffet and mantel mirror, 48 inches long. Glass is latest mitred cutting, in beautiful polychrome frame. Valued $25.00. Donated by Butler's Store.

SIXTH PRIZE is beautiful Damask Linen Luncheon Set. A wonderful linen treasure of the finest hand woven damask, hemstitched rose pattern cloth, and six napkins. Very finest quality of linen. Value $25.00. Donated by T. D. Whitney & Co.

SEVENTH PRIZE — Peter Pan Gramophone, plays any make of records. Black leather case folds up to size of large box camera. Valued at $15.00. Donated by Peter Pan Gramophone Company.

EIGHTH PRIZE is beautiful Bridge Lamp, finished in Polychrome and Gold. Valued at $20.000. Donated by Feine Trimming Company.

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PRIZES NOS. 11 to 31 will be 20 filled books of legal stamps all ready to cash for $2.50 in merchandise in your choice of many leading stores. Donated by The Legal Stamp Company.

I know that such an unusual collection of valuable prizes will bring letters from every part of New England, so start yours off today.

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## THE HAPPY CHILD

By Carolyn Lisberge

A MOTHER of a girl of eight is trying to secure childhood's undimmed happiness for her, and in the effort is making what may be a tragic mistake. "Donation," she explains, "I had a miserable time as a little girl I am determined my baby shall not."

So herself was brought up by a puritanical aunt, a widow, who had reared four daughters in extraordinary fashion, but the pattern she cut out for them did not happen to fit her niece.

Estimable as a parent she failed as an aunt. She could not understand why she should have to dispose things with her that her own children took on faith. Likewise she required active movement to engage her superfluous energies while her cousins were content to sit still for hours and sew.

So this woman, who in most things has judgment and common sense, allows her little girl to have her own way in everything, fatuously imagining that she is thus making her happy. If the fact, she gets in her way be it be broken rather than the child's precious initiative be checked. With let her be a free, positive person who does things rather than dreams them all day long' sighs her confidant.

Her error lies in not understanding that her daughter happens to be the kind who does not need encouragement to assert herself, as she inherits the positive traits supplied in her mother and certain overriding qualities in her father.

This mother thinks because greater freedom of action and expression of her desires would have made her happy the same holds true of her child. Now, it is plain to all who know the youngster, spoiled, indifferent in the comfort of others, that she is selfish in her special need.

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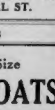

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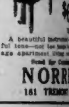

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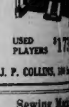

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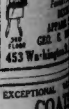

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# NORA LEE

## A Story of Flaming Youth

### Heart and Soul of 1924 Flapper Laid Bare in Best Story by Author of "Chickie"

**START THE STORY HERE TODAY**

Margaret Meadows married Will Lee at seventeen. His dissolute habits soon made her miserable. The night he raised his hand to his two-year-old child in a drunken rage she slipped from his home with her baby. Margaret supported her daughter by teaching school in several villages, finally settling in Fairdale, where she met Andrew Boyd and they fell in love. But he was tied to an invalid wife and Margaret refused to let him leave her. Nora, at seventeen, fell in love with Dave Herrick. Andrew says good-by to Nora Lee and gives her a locket of hers. He is killed in an auto accident, and his widow demands the bonds of Nora. Nora meets Maxwell Reed, who makes love to her. Margaret dies and Nora is left alone. Andrew's widow accuses Nora of stealing the bonds. Nora hears a discussion of life from the modern flapper.

NOW CONTINUE THE STORY

By ELENORE MEHERIN

NORA LEE found her with limp arms dangling over the chair, her eyes rigidly fixed on the opposite wall. She touched Virginia's shoulder. A wavering, dim smile went over the ashy lips: "He's gone, Nora Lee. It's quite over. Oh, Nora Lee, he isn't coming back."

"Hush, Virginia—hush—why—" Then she thought she should say something about something else, but she couldn't think of anything but Dave Herrick.

Virginia rose. "Oh, no, Nora Lee, you mustn't go to him. Is that what you want? You'll go and tell him you forgot? But I'm not. You'll go and tell him that he must love me and—" She stood with her hands drawn together, the fingers digging her dips, the delicate black dress pushed in a sad, bewildered way. "I must think what I should do."

She knelt on the floor and sorted out things in her chest. She turned again to Nora Lee: "I'm doing that now, you think. I see you're frightened. No—you mustn't be. I will do what is right."

**It All Right"**

Then her mother came into the room and looked her face in the silky dress and laughed: "I'm counting my things, mother—" When her mother went, she turned to Nora Lee: "You won't leave me, will you? I'm afraid of me. I would like you . . . to lie on the bed and talk to downstairs." Nora Lee, obedient to my mother.

Then Lee moved about the room, folded and turned-ladies. Fayfield's mother brought home. Virginia took it to the window and read it. She turned her face to the old cold wind again. After a pause she gave a faint, triumphant laugh: "Now, you can leave me, Nora Lee. It's all right. He says it's all right. Oh, I must answer this—he says we will be married in the same—read that line. I'll go with the wedding dress soon—"

Nora glided to her writing table and slowly took up Cleveland Wayne's letter. She waited for Nora Lee to go.

**Can You Say?"**

Nora repeated those to the empty room above the single garage. The day after tomorrow is our wedding day. It is too late to alter anything. I would do no good, for I have killed in me the capacity to love. I am not going to blame myself. I have spent three hours of my life and I haven't been sweet to you. You let me go on worshipping you wrong—I am not under-stood. It was a cruelty that is past. You could have told me before beginning and given me the chance to go on or not as I wished. You knowingly misled me—you let me smile when I poured out all the things I feared you. But now you endured it—I would not justify it! I hear you say, Virginia, what? Are you finished with me—I would like to walk out for, there is no beauty left in it. I will ever see—I am thinking about another mother and yours. She will be married the day after. I will go through with the ceremony. That is all there will be of it. If you were to kiss me, I know that I would die." She looked the letter under her hand and it stuck against her heart in a claw that picked and picked. She wrote:

"Dear My Dear—The day after tomorrow is our wedding day. How can you to recall now that you be-lieved my letter in June this way. It is the holiest and most beautiful thing in the world, isn't it? I can imagine idea that my life be-longed to another—as I had died and been born. Could such a perfect love be for you think? I like to feel that you only have been in my arms all my life long.

"Dear Cleve, how often you have said to me so angel and said I was pure, white and beautiful. I put that in my heart at that, just be-cause of joy and because I thought I was good. I would always be forever you wanted. You seemed to have that power to give me these qualities, as though you were creating me in what you chose.

"I am rather terrible to love like Cleve, and I could have my life without more easily than part with a dear, dear girl. I think I had no choice at all. I had to take it.

"I am pouring out my heart to you, as though you need to hear this and you do. But I want you always to remember this, Cleve dear, and how blessed your love has been to me. It must be this way always with me. I must keep it as it was."

She put down the pen, and taking out their letter read it slowly until it was burned on the nerves of her eyes and went from them and seared right into her soul. She tore the letter into tiny fragments. Ah—if she were to kiss him now, he knew that he would die.

So she must never do that—no—

Downstairs Nora Lee and her mother were waiting. She must try on the bridal gown. She slipped the soft, glowing satin over her head and raised the graceful, simple train over her arm.

She stood hesitant—something she had forgotten—something she was to do. Oh yes—she fell along the hall to her brother's room—into the small, gloomy cupboard-like back room where he developed his pictures.

On a shelf were jars. She searched for and with a brown label. Herb, her brother, had once laughed and told her about that jar—"Just one of those crystals—just one and no more . . . you . . . ."

She leaned against the chair, whispering: "Yes—now."

She took down the jar, held it in shaking hands. Suddenly she settled a round bit of filter paper, poured out a little mound of the white crystals, twisted them deftly and ran back to her room.

**The Wedding Potion**

Virginia went back to her desk, opened the filter paper and emptied the crystals with her finger. She thought remotely: "One is enough." A paralyzing chill transfixed her pulse.

She got up dizzily and stood before the mirror. The late sun came in a slanting beam. She stood bathed in that tender light; her hair shimmered goldenly above the ca-mellike whiteness of her face.

There were pearls on the wedding gown—a row of them, above the her full young throat was bare. Many times Cleveland Wayne had kissed its soft, warm hollow. She touched the spot. She closed her eyes, covering their lids with her cool, frightened hands.

He would die if he ever had to kiss her there. She became weak and gripped the edge of the bureau. Three hours ago he had held her with imploring tenderness. He had whispered: "Oh, do you love me? Are you sure of it? And you know how I love you?"

**Theft of Joy**

Now he would marry her, but she would never be to him other than a name — a hated name. She had stolen the cross, stolen his young ardent joy, so that he was finished with Life. He wanted to walk out of it!

She looked about the room, bewildered, half fainting. And suddenly she was seeing herself as Cleveland Wayne now saw her — her arms about another — another's lips on hers. She raised her hands in a sick

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## A Question of Time

DRAWN BY STELLA THORNE

WHEN he calls on his Heart's Desire with the all-important question trembling on his lips, confident that it will be but a matter of minutes before it has all been settled—and finds himself speechless—then the minutes run into hours of agony for him.

And She, knowing what is in his heart, and after having tried to help him say the words that will make them both happy, looks at the old clock in the corner ticking out its sage advice—"Give-him-time! Give-him-time!"—and feels that the hours are ages long.

But soon the old clock will change its cry and he will hear it saying "Hurry-up!" and finally muster up the courage to tell her what is in his heart—and then the minutes which drag now will hastily scamper along on love's winged feet, bringing the happiness of all time to them both forever.

—STELLA THORNE.

## BEDTIME STORY

Broadcast daily through WNAC.

*The Legend of Aeolus*

By Foxy Grandpa

IT was one of those rainy, sazy days. Just enough breeze was blowing to fill out the sail of my catboat, but often it would die down, the sail would tremble, then remain as still as if it were just folded before the anchor was pulled up.

Finally I said:

"It's not one. We'll have to start our kicker. We're becalmed. It's a good thing we have this live engine in the boat or we'd be out here on the bay for the night.

"With no provisions, either," said Bobby, who always is thinking of the most important things in life.

"Now if we only had one of the bags of wind along like Ulysses had." I laughed, "we'd be all right."

"Who was Ulysses, Foxy Grandpa?" asked Bobby, "and what about the wind-bags?"

Bobby cuddled up by my side, with one of his little hands on the wheel and said:

"Now, Foxy Grandpa."

"It was like this, Bobby," I began. "Once on one of the islands of the Mediterranean near Sicily, there lived a king by the name of Hippotes."

"Sounds like hippopotamus," said Bunny.

"It does, indeed," I chuckled. "This Hippotes had a son by the name of Aeolus.

"In due time Aeolus got married and had six sons and six daughters."

"What a big family and what fun they must have had together," said Bobby.

"They did," said I. "They used to be very merry and make the most beautiful music. And their father had a very important work to do for the gods. For in the caves of this island Aeolus kept all of his winds imprisoned. It was only when the gods ordained that the winds should blow that Aeolus released them and allowed them to blow on the world.

"You can imagine how his influence was felt on land and sea, particularly on sea, because he could start and finish storms at will.

"Once the great Ulysses, when he was coming home from one of his travels, visited Aeolus on this island, and as a parting present Aeolus presented Ulysses with a bag of wind to insure his having enough breeze to carry him to his native shores of Greece.

"For the first few days Ulysses manned the helm himself. But at the end of three days he fell asleep, as his men, overcome with curiosity concerning the bag—which they believed contained rich presents—opened it.

"Out came a great wind! Out puffed the sails. The ship gave a leap and a bound, and before Ulysses could wake up the ship was way out of her course, and they had to sail for days to finally reach the shores of Greece."

"How discouraging," Bobby said.

"Yes," said Bunny. "You remember what killed the cat?"

"I guess curiosity is a bad thing, isn't it?" said Bobby, thinking it over carefully.

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## HOW TO GET SLIM HIPS

By Maria Jeritza

Prima Donna of the Metropolitan Opera Company and One of the Most Beautiful Women of the Day

IF your hips are disproportionately large, you probably have been made uncomfortably and embarrassingly aware of the fact in trying on this season's frocks. For the season's mode continues to assume that we are fashioned as we ought to be, with slimly-rounded curves.

There's a new device on the market which looks and seems harmless and practicable by means of which a woman can massage herself and help to take away pounds that are lumped in one part of her body. Doubtless this device if faithfully used every day would reduce your slim to just the size you wish.

Deep massage by an expert might have the same slenderizing effect. Watch your diet—eat simply and wisely. That is essential to avoid overweight.

Here is an easy exercise that gives a decided pull to the muscles of the thighs and hips. Repeat it from ten to twenty times each morning while your bath water is running. And if you practice it again at night before retiring, so much the better.

You will need to remove all binding clothing in order to practice it accurately. Vest and bloomers or a one-piece bathing suit will be appropriate.

Lie face downward on your bed. Raise your right leg straight back of you without bending your knee, as far as it will go, pointing your toes outward. When you feel that you have lifted it as high as you can, make another effort and lift it still higher. Repeat ten times or more.

Repeat the movement, lifting and lowering your left leg the same number of times.

Make the most of every chance to exercise. Walk instead of ride when you go shopping, marketing or to your office.

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## SMART SAYINGS OF CLEVER CHILDREN

*The Boston American will pay $1 for published smart sayings. Address "Smart Sayings," Boston American.*

Little Agnes had gone to a show for the first time. She was getting restless and during a sad fire on the screen she exclaimed, "Mama, take me out, the smoke's getting in my eyes!"

Margaret F. Connelly,
24 Simon street, Beverly, Mass.

## CORRECT MANNERS

By Mrs. Cornelius Beeckman.

DEAR MRS. BEECKMAN:

The wearing of my engagement ring is the only announcement that is being made of my betrothal. Under these circumstances, is it considered good taste, when meeting friends and acquaintances, to show them my ring? The people I refer to have no other way of hearing of my engagement unless I tell them myself.

G. A. L.

IT is proper for you to make the announcement in this way. It is an informal and friendly way of spreading "the" news, and I am sure that you will make it very graceful and delightful. You may say, "I want to tell you about this," or "I want you to know the happy news that this means."

DEAR MRS. BEECKMAN:

If a boy invites a girl, graduating with him, to a graduation party, what is an appropriate gift for the girl to bring?

(2) Would you kindly tell me what gifts are appropriate for a girl to give another girl at such a party?

F. S.

A BOOK is the most appropriate gift for a graduation party gift.

(2) A silver, enamel or gold pen or pencil, some accessory of leather for her desk, a book, beads, a purse or bag of silk or leather, a sheer "dance" handkerchief, or a box of letter paper are suitable presents.

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## THE BEST JOKE I EVER HEARD

*The Boston American will pay $1 for "best Joke" published. Address "Best Joke," Boston American.*

While I was working out the fourth Senior Cross-Word Puzzle, I said, "What is Scott's first name?" My brother said, "Great Scott."

MISS EBONNE NELSON,
19 Concord ave., Belmont, Mass.

## DO YOU KNOW THAT—

The Lutine bell, which is sounded at Lloyd's once for a lost ship and twice for an arrival, was taken from H. M. S. Lutine, sunk in the Zuyder Zee in 1799.

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Species of rhododendrons which produce perfectly black flowers were recently discovered by an English botanist in Tibet.

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A papyrus now being translated indicates that the early Egyptians were familiar with trephining the skull and the setting of fractures. It will be a long time before the whole MS. has been deciphered.

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Hong Kong is the greatest rice distributing centre of the Far East.

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Parasol ants derive their name from a habit of biting off pieces of leaves much larger than themselves and carrying them over their heads.

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One lump of sugar contains the concentrated sweetness of about two feet of sugar cane.

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Of the eggs of the great auk in existence.

There are only 75 recorded examples

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In the Portuguese Congo a church is now being built of stone which has to be carried four miles by the natives. The completed structure will contain 15,000 stones, representing nearly 120,000 miles of walking.

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The deadly tsetse fly of the jungles is said to have been given its double name from the short, sharp sound which it makes twice in quick succession.

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The greatest British-built ship in the world, the Olympic, weighing 46,000 tons, was recently towed into a floating dock and lifted a height of forty feet out of the water. The lifting operation occupied three hours forty-five minutes.

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Experts have worked out complete time tables for an air service to encircle the world in seventeen days. Airships have been provisionally chosen for the flights across the oceans.

## Ways of a Husband

By Ann Lisle

RALPH sent me a strange look. In it I read something more than a request. It was almost a command. I felt that he had a plan which the wrong word might upset. But in the next moment we both had evidence that clever young Manuelo Ortiz is capable of forming a few conclusions of his own—even though they are too dramatic to take in all at once.

"You must forgive what it is I have to say, Senora Anne," flamed the boy. "You I would not hurt if it could be helped. But what it is I am ask—you must of yourself ask. Why should Senor Harrison take Rosa away while for me and Senor Ralph it is left to find out the truths about her? Why does Senor Harrison make it so easy for Rosa that she shall not face me, her countryman, when the truth she comes out?"

"Why not?" asked Ralph, with a determined lightness in his tone.

Manuelo laughed scornfully.

"Is it not that Senor Harrison is so interest he will protect Rosa even when he knows how she is?"

"Ever hear of chivalry?" asked Ralph in a tone whose pleasantness saved his words from offence.

"Didn't Jim bring Rosa back to face the red-haired man who had accused her?" he asked, too much swayed by Manuelo's words to heed Ralph's signal for caution.

Manuelo shook his head.

"Senor Harrison, he is telephone Ralph. He is tell him what to do. We take the red-haired man to Senorita Gregory's studio. Senor Harrison he is come back to Rosa. Then I am send back to Rosa. She deny everything. She make to—what you call—vamp me again. That is how I see now it was always by her friendship. And that is how by Senor Harrison it be"—

"Oh, come now!" protested Ralph.

"Rosa, she is give me what you call the lies. But she do not fool me in the soul. She cannot again stir me the heart—while I do not let her. In my mind—I make—no."

Manuelo indicated the movements of washing his hands of Rosa.

"We cannot accuse Rosa Cordova of committing to destroy Miss Gregory's statue," said Ralph, "unless we have much better evidence than the word of a twice-proved criminal."

"But yesterday, Ralph, he—" began Manuelo pathetically.

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## BROKEN ENGAGEMENTS

By Beatrice Fairfax

Who occupies a unique position in the writing world as an authority on problems of love and marriage.

"WELL!" exclaimed Betty to herself, clenching her pretty little fists. "I'll show him! I'll show him his number!"

Just how she would "show him" Betty wasn't sure. But to get away from the scene of her defeat she went to visit a school-girl chum. Betty returned a few weeks later with a big, platinum-set diamond on her engagement finger.

"I guess that'll show him," thought Betty, "how little he matters in my young life."

"He" happened to be a young man considerably older than Betty, who was spending the Summer with neighbors.

Betty was undisputed leader and "baby vamp" of her set. So as a matter of course she had tried to capture the heart of the new arrival, whom I shall call John Steele.

But John Steel had lost his wife the year before and was broken-hearted. So Betty's coquetry was wasted. She impressed him as merely rather silly.

Then it was that Betty, furious over her defeat, engaged herself to Fred to show John Steele she cared as little as he did. Unfortunately for her plan, John, meantime had moved away, so he wasn't aware of Betty's triumph.

Soon Betty began to be dreadfully bored with her engagement. After a month or two, she didn't pretend to love Fred. Then she found an excuse for a quarrel and break, leaving one more man mystified and miserable because of the caprice of women.

The pity is that engagements are ever entered into from motives of vanity and malice. There are even heartless, feather-brained girls who engage themselves to several men at once for the sake of excitement, gifts and "a good time." A man who allows himself to become captive to such flirtatious charm and such a woman to marry him without thought of her character, deserves the jilt that's most likely coming to him.

The real tragedy would be in marrying that type of woman. It's a man escapes his fate by a girl's breaking her engagement he's luckier than he deserves.

Let your head and heart approve your fiance. Earn your parents' blessing on your marriage. Then the broken-betrothal problem will not be likely to trouble you, but your engagement will lead to a happy marriage with full realization of love's dream.

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Tell your druggist you want only the genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother, you must say "California." Refuse any imitation.

## THE THIMBLE THEATRE

Cause for Discomfort—By SEGAR

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BELIEVE ME—I'M TAKING HOME A VERY APPROPRIATE SOUVENIR FROM ALASKA
MY GOSH! IS THERE NO HEAT ON THIS SHIP
WHY I'M NEARLY FROZEN! THIS IS NO WAY TO TREAT FIRST CLASS PASSENGERS
I'VE GOT THE SHIVERS SOMETHING TERRIBLE—I SHOULD TELL THE CAPTAIN
HEY OLIVE OYL GET UP! GET OFF OF THERE!
DO YOU WANT TO MELT MY SOUVENIR!

## KRAZY KAT

Celebrating the Cop's Absence—By HERRIMAN

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THERE'S THAT KRAZY KAT ALL SET TO BE SOCKED WITH A BRICK AND YET MY NERVE FAILS ME—I HAVE A GREAT FEAR THAT KRAZY KAT OFFICER PUPP IS LURKING ABOUT
AND YET, THERE WAS A TIME WHEN I HAD NO SUCH FEAR, MY HEART BE, THAT I AM GETTING OLD—
TOO BAD ABOUT OFFICER PUPP BEING CONFINED TO HIS BED WITH THE MUMPS, ISN'T IT—
YES, AND SO MANY CRIMINALS AT LARGE, TOO
GOOD HES DOWN IT—FOR A WHILE I HAD A IDA HE WAS GONNA NIGGLEBOK ME—LIL' UIPPA SASPPA
ZIP

## Bobbie and His Pa

By William F. Kirk

I WAS reading a story last nite & I was setting pritty far from the lite & Pa sed I shud set closser to the lite. You will rewin yure eyes if you dount, Bobbie, sed Pa.

My eyes are all rite, I sed. Keep yure shirt on, I sed.

See here, yung man, sed Pa, walk never here this minnit.

I have been walking & running all day I sed, I want to set down now, I sed.

You will not be so keen to set down after I get thru with you, sed Pa, walk never here. So I walked never there & Pa gave me a good spanking. I guess a cuppel of down spanks at least, but I am guim. I never squealed. I guess Pa was kind of surprised, he thot I wud squeal.

Well, Bobbie, sed Ma, have you learned yure lesson?

What lesson? I sed.

Not to talk back to yure parents Bobbie, sed Ma, & not to use vulligar or perchance like Keap yure shirt on. That is very vulligar, sed Ma.

Spanking a litlel kid is vulligar, too, I sed. You bet Pa won't spank me when I am six feet tall & all bone & mussel, I sed.

You see, husband, sed Ma, you have made Bobbie feel bitter. That is the trubbel with Corporil punishment, sed Ma, it breeds bitter-ness in the breste of the young, sed Ma.

I will try to N-dure Bobbie's bitter-ness, sed Pa, but you may be sure that no offer-spring of mine is ever going to talk back to me, sed Pa. In such a skool was I shoot up, wife, sed Pa.

I do not see that it made you very meek, sed Ma.

I was always meek enuff around my old gent, sed Pa. Wen he sed a thing was so, it was so.

I suppose if you shot you cud git away with it, sed Ma, you wud even attemp to spank me.

Dount ever start it, sed Ma, Lissen to the Jipey's warning.

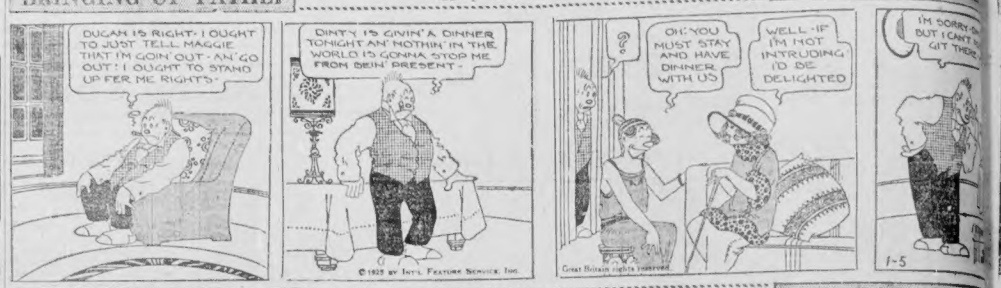
Then Pa laffed & Ma laffed, but I dident laff. I am not going to laff any more for quite a while. Gitting spanked hurts a kids pride but that aint all.

I will now cleane.

## BRINGING UP FATHER

Jiggs Refuses to Leave Home

By George McMan...


DUGAN IS RIGHT- I OUGHT TO JUST TELL MAGGIE THAT I'M GOIN' OUT - AN' GO OUT! I OUGHT TO STAND UP FER ME RIGHTS-
DINTY IS GIVIN' A DINNER TONIGHT AN' NOTHIN' IN THE WORLD IS GONNA STOP ME FROM BEIN' PRESENT-
OH! YOU MUST STAY AND HAVE DINNER WITH US
WELL-IF I'M NOT INTRUDING, I'D BE DELIGHTED
I'M SORRY BUT I CAN'T GIT THERE
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## US BOYS

A Little Surprise for Shrimp

By McNamara

NOW REMEMBER WHAT I TELL YA'- WHEN SHE COMES UP AND STARTS TO TELL US ALL ABOUT HOLLYWOOD AND EVERYTHIN' DONT SAY A WORD - JUST WALK AWAY - WELL SHOW HER SHE AIN'T SO MUCH EVEN IF SHE WAS IN HOLLYWOOD!
MAKE OUT YOURE LOOKIN' AT SOMETHIN' DOWN THERE!
GOSH! HOW CAN I MAKE OUT IM LOOKIN AT SOMETHIN' IF I AM LOOKIN' AT SOMETHIN'
OOH! - SHE DIDN'T EVEN SPEAK AT US! - WONDER WHO SHE THINKS SHE IS, ANYWAY?
CONTINUED TO-MORR...

## GOLDBERGS CARTOONS

Bozo Butts—They Drive Him Nuts

By Rube Goldberg

I'VE GOT THE BLANK FOR MY AUTOMOBILE LINGENSE ALL FILLED OUT- THEY TOLD ME TO COME TO THIS WINDOW
I'LL STAMP IT- THEN YOU TAKE IT TO WINDOW 8?
THE MAN TOLD ME TO BRING THE BLANK OVER HERE
I'LL TAKE IT AND GIVE YOU A CARD WHICH YOU TAKE TO WINDOW 310
NOW YOU GO TO A NOTARY AT WINDOW 2 AND HE'LL TELL YOU WHAT TO DO
310
HAVE IT STAMPED AT WINDOW 49, GO TO WINDOWS 88, 397, 504, 1, 15 AND 66½ AND THEN COME BACK FOR FURTHER INSTRUCTIONS
2
HE'S GONE!
UNRAVEL ME A PIECE OF RED TAPE
STEP INSIDE AND GET YOUR LICQUOR- IT'LL ONLY TAKE A MINUTE

## JUST KIDS

He Has a Good Excuse

By Ad Carter

AND WHAT IS THE MATTER WITH PEANUT
HE'S THE MEANEST FELLER IN THE WHOLE WORLD - THAT'S WHAT HE IS AN I AIN'T NEVER GONNA TALK TO HIM SO LONG AS I LIVE!
BR-R-R-I-N-G-G
THE TELEPHONE IS RINGIN' MOM!
IT'S PEANUT AND HE WANTS TO TALK TO YOU?
I DON'T WANT TO TALK TO HIM - TELL HIM SOMETHIN'
R. DORTER

# DAILY SHORT STORY

## MISS GAY OF THE ORPHA...

*By Mabel McKee*

IT was blue Tuesday at the orphanage. And before 8, there had been blue Monday and after it there would be blue Wednesday and a whole lot of other blue days for all the children in Cottage Number Three.

For wasn't their own cottage manager, Miss Gay Worman, going away to marry the richest board member, exactly as do cottage managers in story books?

Except that while Miss Gay was very slender, piquant and lovable, the board member was not young and slender, too, but old—at least middle-aged—and fat and as gruff as gruff as could be. He had first stared at Miss Gay when the board made its annual inspection of the cottages.

**Asked Her Age.**

"New manager?" he asked the young superintendent, his voice not as gruff as usual. "Any training for her work? How old is she?"

"Twenty-two," the superintendent answered the last question first, and blushed furiously when he answered it. "Though she hasn't had much training, she's kind to the children and interested in the work. I know she will make good."

Months and months passed after that with the rich trustee visiting the orphanage regularly every week, he brought a book sharply. And at first every employe there quaked in his shoes over the visits. They were all sure some one was going to be fired. When they discovered he was courting Miss Gay, oh, the sighs of relief they gave—all but the young superintendent.

Perhaps right then he would have told Miss Gay how much he loved her, had it not been for that winter night when Mamie Morton had the group. Miss Gay, tired to death, after cleaning day and mending day and visiting day and chicken-pox time and word from the board that she couldn't have any new furniture for her cottage that year, sobbed out loud before the young superintendent.

**She Sobbed.**

"Oh," she sobbed like a heart-broken, little girl, "I wish some rich man would ask me to marry him so I would never again see piles of unmended stockings and all those dresses to be made over and those chairs needing paint and the scrubby pictures or anything or anybody around an orphanage. I'm tired-to-death of being poor. Just dead tired-to-death."

Boyishly, the young superintendent had reached forth his hand to pat her shoulder comfortingly. Now, he stared coldly at Miss Gay. "I'll send Miss Hayden to bathe Mamie's throat for you," he said, "until the doctor comes. I've already sent for him."

The next morning he barely spoke to Miss Gay. The next afternoon the rich board member came and Miss Gay saw to it that he proposed. And the next day she was telling the other cottage managers that she was going to marry the wealthy trustee. "I'll use all my influence to get your salaries raised," she promised them a bit tearfully, "and I'll do every single thing I can for all of you."

How they did pet her after that, all except the young superintendent who merely bowed to her. After three of his dignified bows, Miss Gay tilted her proud little head with its jet black curls that she couldn't even see the bow. When she had to have supplies from the office, she sent her largest girls after them. When the young superintendent wanted to send instructions to Cottage Number Three, he sent them by some other manager.

Until the morning before the day on which Miss Gay was to leave. Very humbly then he went over to see her, took her slim little hand in his—not the one on which blazed the rich trustee's big diamond—and wished her eternal happiness. "You will have everything," he said slowly, "and I'm sure you deserve it—yes, very sure."

That was his good-bye to Miss Gay. After he had gone, Miss Gay's big black eyes overflowed with tears. She locked herself in the shabby, living room of her cottage and sobbed and sobbed. "He didn't even say—he hated to see me go," she sobbed. "I gave him his chance and he just ignored it."

While she was sobbing, Mamie Morton found the bar rub of cold water, took off both her shoes and waded in it. But she kept that a secret until after the line of girls in Cottage Number Three had marched back from supper and one of the older ones noticed that Mamie was hoarse. She shook her soundly and put her right to bed.

"You should be ashamed of yourself!" she scolded. "Here Miss Gay is spending her last night at the Home and you go and get croupy. Don't you dare cough. You've coughed ever since she came and caused her lots of sleepless nights. At least, let her last one be quiet and happy."

**Had Its Effect.**

That scolding had its effect. Wee Mamie choked and gasped, bravely keeping back coughs until Miss Gay had heard her solemnly. She rushed into the little girls' dormitory, up to Mamie's bed and looked at her. Instantly she knew what was wrong. Mamie had the croup.

Lifting the little orphan in her arms, Miss Gay carried her into her own room and began to work with her as she always did on such occasions. She worked and worked, not sending for anyone. This was her last chance to serve Mamie. She wanted to do it alone. She didn't want the new manager, who was still a guest at the main building, to even know there was sickness in the cottage.

While she worked, the young superintendent walked up and down in his office—up and down, up and down. One trip took him close to the window. The next trip, a little closer. The third trip took him so close he saw the light in Miss Gay's room. The fourth trip took him out of the office, across the lawn and to Cottage Number Three.

He found Mamie quiet and out of pain, her little fingers cuddled close in Miss Gay's hand. When Mamie saw him, before the little manager did, her eyes lightened. "Oh, Miss Gay, let me wear her ring for taking my medicine without crying," her little hoarse voice confided. "It's the prettiest ring I ever saw."

"Perhaps," the superintendent said back, cuddling close to the superintendent, "if she's going to give it to trustees and stay at h...

The superintendent was very hard at like to be cruel to the girl, she couldn't think of it. girls not to be cruel being here at Christ...

**Smiling Thru.**

Two big tears rolled though she was cr... those tears were ... young superintendent arm around her, whispered, "you're and everybody's ... do you wish now?"

A mischievous smile to the corners of ... "I wish," she whis... man I love would ... him, and I'd have ... me forever be ... get holes in her ... help me keep my ... for holidays and ...

Mamie Morton ... hands. "She's going to ... you, Miss Gay? ... he'll ask you to ... girls played in it ... he really will."

"Perhaps," ... back, cuddling ... superintendent. "I ... him I will."

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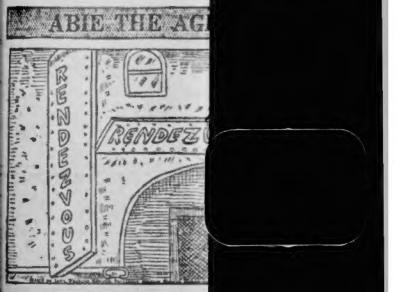


## JERRY ON THE...

## THE NEWLY W...

BROWN'S tomcat was out on to the fence eg'n Friday night singin' "Love Me an' the World Is Mine."

A odem wonder what we're all harryin' through life so dingod fast for an' where we expect to git.

Village was all hot up with excitement Thursday night at half past nine when two auroe comes through blowin' their horns just like it was broad daylight. Ha-ha...

## POLLY AND HER PALS

Truly Named, Says Paw

By Cliff Sterrett

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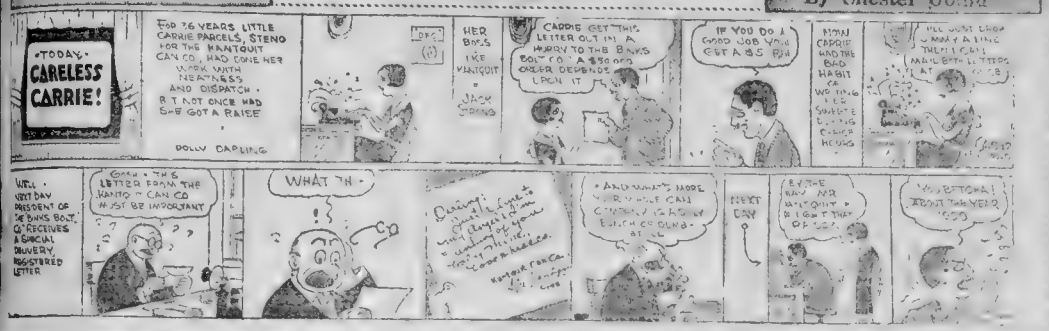


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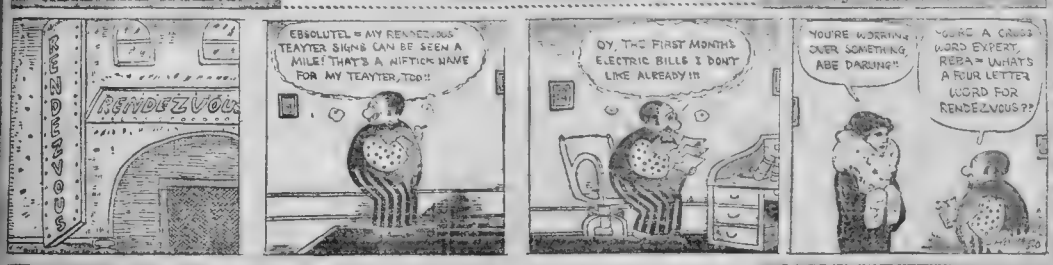


## JERRY ON THE JOB

Such Ignorance!

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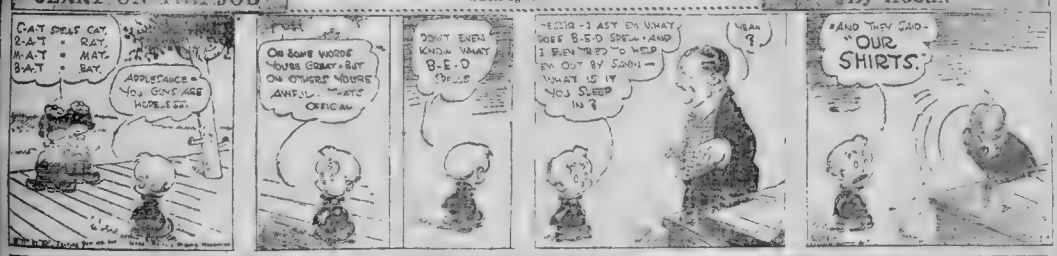


## THE NEWLYWEDS

Snookums Is a Regular Snow Baby

By Charles McManus

## SECRETS OF HEALTH

By Charles A. L. Reed, M. D.
Former President of the American Medical Association.

IF you happen to be living in a community in which your schools are kept up to date, your children will sometimes be subjected to the old-fashioned test examinations.

These were in vogue all over the United States and Canada as late as twenty years ago.

They, however, were so often detrimental to nervous children that they were abandoned for practical purposes and to-day the modern school system is much more humane.

In the examinations of that time, the pupil was given a list of words to spell, and during the course of the examination he was required to write a sentence containing each word.

Sometimes the sentence was made up by the pupil himself, but more often it was suggested by the teacher.

Thus, the word "cat" might be used in the sentence "The cat ran up the tree."

Or the word "dog" might be used in the sentence "The dog bit the boy."

Now, it has been found that the use of such sentences as these is not the best way to test the spelling ability of children.

Instead, the modern school system is much more practical.

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# FINANCE

By B. C. Forbes

## REACTION NEED OF BUCKETING BROKERS

By FRANK H. METON
Financial Editor

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# WERRENRATH GIVES VARIED PROGRAM

Artist Delights Audience at Symphony Hall by Splendid Rendition of Numbers

Reinald Werrenrath, the baritone who gave a concert yesterday afternoon at Symphony Hall, is one of the finest artists appearing on the concert stage. His voice is a strong one, of fine quality, and his manner of singing is often irreproachable. Perfect phrasing, admirable breath control, and a good diction are among his assets.

As is his custom, Mr. Werrenrath arranged a program that avoided the beaten path. His singing of the opening number, "Alma Redemptoris," by Mo'art, was notable for good taste, restraint, and classic purity. He sang a group of songs by Scandinavian composers. The beloved Grieg's "Den Bjergtagna" is within the singer Hall, assisted by a small orchestra of strings and harp. Mr. Werrenrath's rendition was colorful and dramatic.

Among the songs which forced to add so many extra pieces, by a very enthusiastic audience, that the program was almost doubled in length, were delightful. The closing number, a "Pirate Song," by Henry F. Gilbert, a Boston composer, was given a forceful rendition by Mr. Werrenrath.

## BALM SUIT AGAINST McCORMICK SETTLED

New York, Jan. 5—The suit for $500,000 brought against Cyrus Hall McCormick, sixty-five-year-old head of the International Harvester Company, by Erwin W. Jacobs of New York city, for alienation of his wife's affections, seems to be fizzling out. It is learned a settlement out of court has been agreed upon.

The case came on this morning and was to when he rode broke his through the white gates of Lawson's last tribute to Mrs. Lawson's abandonment of his former

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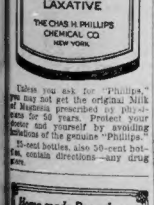

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# MRS. REID IN MORAL FILM AT FENWAY

"Broken Laws," Featuring Wife of Late Screen Idol, Shows Value of Discipline

"Broken Laws," featuring Mrs. Wallace Reid, is the attraction at the Fenway Theatre this week.

The story deals with the modern tendency in the home of allowing disrespect for law and order, and the terrible consequences which often result therefrom.

Joan and Ralph Allen, modern parents of the lively type, are at odds on the subject of their only child, their eight-year-old son Bobby. Ralph would punish him for his misdeeds, but Joan being his mother, will not allow it.

On Christmas Eve Bobby is locked in his room by his father, but manages to escape and go to the party next door at which his father and mother are guests. He and the small daughter of the family have a party of their own and Bobby is discovered and sent back home.

His father's actions makes Joan vow never to be unkind to him again and after he recovers she becomes more intelligent than ever with the result that the family is unmanageable. He reaches young manhood in the same way and after graduating from college is arrested charged with manslaughter following a mad night ride in a car.

Mrs. Wallace Reid as Joan shows fine emotional work, playing with unmistakable sincerity, and the scene in the courtroom, where the heartbroken mother realizing her own guilt, pleads to be punished in place of her boy, is magnificent. Ramsey Wallace as Ralph Allen also does convincing work, as does Percy Marmont as the father of the "Girl next door."

The children in the play, Pat Moore and Jane Wray, do exceptionally intelligent work, as do Arthur Rankin and Virginia Lee Corbin as the children grown up.

The picture itself carries a powerful lesson to the parents of today, and if it awakens but one home to the fact that its children are in danger of becoming "wild" it does much. It will have been well worth while.

Del Castillo, whose musical settings are always interesting, adapts himself in a clever medley of popular songs. The well known hits of the year are cleverly interwoven with selections from Victor Herbert and Puccini, and last but not least, Tschaikowsky's famous Rhapsody in Blue.

The orchestral number, Overture, Merry Wives of Windsor, the Prologue to Pagliacci by Leoncavallo, and a splendid attraction, complete a fine program.

## JEWISH CHARITIES FUND PASSES $300,000

The Federated Jewish Charities has gone three-fifths of the way towards its $500,000 goal, it was announced at a meeting of the campaign workers at the Elysium Club.

Three new unsolicited subscriptions from non-Jewish sources totaling $1,500 came in at this meeting.

Judge David A. Lourie spoke to the campaign workers, explaining to them the seriousness of the problem which the Federated was facing.

"We had the best start than any campaign has ever had in the history of the Federated," said Judge Lourie. "Now it is up to us to keep it up. There is no question but that the money is there. We just have to go and get it."

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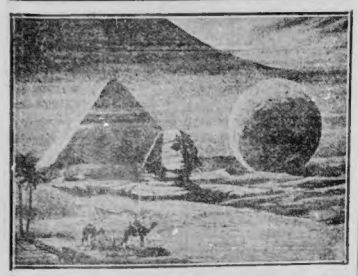
## Our Other Moon

Invisible but We Have It



Our little invisible moon, 400 feet in diameter, compared with Egypt's great Pyramid of Cheops.

Professor Baade of the Hamburg Astronomical Observatory, recently discovered a strange body in the heavens, moving at such terrific speed that at first it was thought to be a comet. It turns out to be a small planet, flying around the sun, just outside of our orbit.

There are all kinds of queer neighbors around us in space unknown to us. This picture shows you ONE of them.

The round ball, compared here with the great Pyramid of Cheops and the Sphinx in Egypt to give an idea of its size, is a little invisible moon going around our earth. Certain mathematical observations prove that it is there, although we can't see it.

If any man should try to fly from here to our moon, or to the planet Mars, and if, on his journey, he happened to meet this little moon in its travels, he wouldn't like the meeting.

This miniature moon, about 400 feet in diameter, flies around the earth once every three hours. It is only about twenty-five hundred miles above our earth, and travels at a speed of 3½ miles a second.

It is supposed to have been formerly a little planet on its own account, going around the sun. Some time, in past history, during the one billion and six hundred million years that our earth has existed thus far, this tiny planet was "captured" by the earth's superior power of gravitation, due to its greater size and weight. Since then it has been whirling around us, going with us as we travel.

This little moon, 1,200 miles round, is called a meteoric satellite. If it should hit another wandering body, and if they should both come rushing to the earth, this old planet could stand the blow quite easily. But if it should hit a big city a glancing blow, heaven help the city.

## A Fire Scandal

No Fire-Escapes, Sick Wards on the Top Floor, Woodwork That Burned Like Tinder and Yet Two Houses Originally Constructed for Residential Purposes Were Permitted to Be Used in Boston for Hospital Purposes.

The escape of all but one of the sixteen patients of the Scobey Hospital, in the fire which yesterday destroyed the hospital buildings at Nos. 906-908 Beacon street, will not deter the people of Boston from demanding official replies to these vitally important questions:

1—Are buildings originally constructed for residential purposes proper places for the care of large numbers of sick?

2—WHO permitted these buildings to be used for hospital purposes, when anyone could see that the entire block was without a fire escape?

3—IF residences are thus to be turned into hospitals, IS the top floor the place for operating room and patients' wards?

4—WHY are Boston hydrants permitted to remain frozen? If they are not inspected daily at this season of the year, why not? "One hydrant was found to be frozen," we read in the reports, "but the next one was in service WITHIN TWO MINUTES."

Two minutes, we submit, was too long for the Boston Fire Department to be compelled to wait for water at a fire such as this.

We can all be thankful that this "private hospital" fire occurred at noon instead of midnight. We can all be proud, and everyone of us IS proud, of the nurses, firemen and volunteers who distinguished themselves by acts of bravery.

There remains, however, the thought that this fire should not have been, that IF the laws of Massachusetts permit the use of such buildings for hospital purposes then the laws of Massachusetts are lamentably weak.

The usual investigations have been set in motion and there is the usual number of them. Let us hope that one or all of them may reveal the facts and PLACE THE RESPONSIBILITY.

If they fail in these respects, the people of Boston should carry the scandal of this hospital fire as high as the Governor himself and DEMAND action.

## A Cure for Lynching

One of the most satisfactory showings of the past year is the decrease in lynchings.

The best cure for lawlessness is law enforcement. Just as soon as courts implant in the public mind the assurance that punishment will be meted out to all those who deserve it, the mob will be more difficult to assemble.

What is needed everywhere is a program of enforcement which spares none on account of position or influence. And while public officers are doing their duty, let citizens do theirs. Let them serve as jurors when called to do so.

## Joy and Gloom -:- -:- By T. E. Powers

OH, YOU CANDY KID! WELL IF IT ISNT THE NEW YEAR HIM SELF! YOU LOOK GOOD TO ME ILL TELL THE WIDE WORLD
BOBBED HAIR
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ORDERS
NOT A CROSS WORD!

## A WIFE'S MEDITATIONS

*By HELEN ROWLAND*

YOU may patch up a silk stocking or a love-affair, when it has worn thin, but the final "split" is bound to come.

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Love is a gift—not a debt. The woman to whom a man devoted attention is never the one who reminds him that he OWES it to her, but the one who accepts it with as much surprise as though it were a Christmas gift.

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A woman may keep her own gray hairs dark; but, if she's got to watch the gray creep into her husband's head, day by day, somehow, she FEELS it just as antique.

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No man can tell a girl how long his love will last, any more than he can tell her how long his teeth, his hair or his health will last—but that never prevents him from signing a life-contract to love her.

* * *



Helen Rowland

When a man marries, his happiness is always tinged with sadness at the thought of how all the women will miss him!

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Looking for a husband is like Christmas shopping; every girl starts out with a definite vision of what she wants, but nearly always ends by giving up the struggle, and taking "something just as good."

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Hot towels may smooth out the skin, but the wrinkles in a mean disposition will show right through the smoothest epidermis.

* * *

That smile of secret satisfaction, with which the man who has just won a girl and the man who has just escaped her, regard each other, is the smile that passeth understanding.

* * *

A man may forgive a woman for being extravagant at his expense—but he never, NEVER forgives her can tell her how long his teeth, his for being WITTY at his expense!

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## THE RHYMING OPTIMIST

**By Aline Michaelis**

O' wealth I have a meagre share, my lot an humble one; I own no gardens, wide and fair, no fields that woo the sun. No verdant valleys stretch away where silver waters shine, no forest ranks in proud array grace lands that I call mine. Nor is my treasure safely stored as misers keep their gold, a splendid, shining, secret horde for greedy hands to hold. But I have riches all would prize, whatever their estate; for me, life's rarest visions rise, life's sweetest fancies wait. I have a dream that does not die, a friend forever true, no naught of poverty know I, nor care's unlovely crew. And I have steadfast faith that sees the stars beyond the strife, a courage that can drain the lees, yet love the wine of life. Scant treasure, this, of lands or gold, yet wealth without an end is mine, for to my heart I hold dream, courage, faith and friend.

## WORDS OF THE WISE MEN

A sublime idea remains the same, from whatever brain, or in whatever region it had its birth.

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Preaching that comes from the soul most works on the soul.

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He who will not open his eyes is, for the present, as blind as he that cannot.

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It is hard to personate and not a part long, for where truth is not at the bottom, nature will always be endeavoring to return, and will rease out and betray herself one time or other.

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There is nothing either good or bad, but thinking makes it so.

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The true, strong, and sound mind is the mind that can embrace equally great things and small.

## THE HELPING HAND

Letters Not Answered Personally. No attention Paid to Telephone Calls or Anonymous Letters. No Names Published.

### Much Discouraged

Helping Hand Editor:

I am out of work and have no coal or wood and not much to eat. We have two little ones and expect the stork soon. My wife is sick and cannot get around much and I can't afford to have a woman come in. My underwear, outside clothing and shoes are all gone. I wear size 36. I am so discouraged. I wonder if anyone of your kind readers will help me a little till I can get back to work. I have been out of work for four months and everything is gone. I am behind in my rent. The little ones need some underwear, size 2 and 3 years.

M. S.

### Gives Thanks

Helping Hand Editor:

Please thank Mrs. D., Dorchester; Mrs. C., Melrose, and Miss S., Lowell, for their kindness. Also the party who sent the check. You all surely made my Xmas a happy one and I wish you all a Happy New Year and thank those kind readers a thousand times.

MRS. Mc.

### Expecting Stork

Helping Hand Editor:

I am in poor circumstances. My husband is sickly and cannot do any work. I have been working, but cannot do so now as I am expecting the stork soon. I have three children, boys 14 and 9, girl 12. They all need clothes, as does also the newcomer. Also if anyone had some clothes, size 18, for myself, I would be very grateful.

MRS. JOHN H.

### Happy Christmas

Helping Hand Editor:

I must thank the kind readers of your paper through you for the generous donation and clothes to make over. We had a very nice Christmas, and I assure you I used the money in the proper way and we were all very happy. I was able to make use of most every thing.

MRS. M. D.

### Need Beds

Helping Hand Editor:

I would like to know if you could help a woman who works nights for her children and cannot do much with $11 a week. She would appreciate any little thing that could make her home more comfortable. They have one bed and there are seven children. Her husband has been unable to get work he can do, and they are in need of bed clothes very much. If anyone had a bed and bureau and curtains of any kind it would help make her home a little more cheerful. I have helped as much as I could. She has to go to work with hardly any shoes or warm stockings. She takes size 5 shoes. The baby is sick with a cold because of not enough bedding. Her husband has been ill some time.

MRS. R.

### Made Grateful

Helping Hand Editor:

Please thank the kind readers who sent us presents. They left no addresses. One came from Southboro and another from Brookline. If it wasn't for this kindness we wouldn't have had a thing for Xmas. My mother has no sheets and pillow cases, only one blanket for each bed, so you see how poor we are. My father works hard, but makes small pay.

ANTHONY V.

### Earns Only Enough for Food

Helping Hand Editor:

I am the mother of seven children and my husband has been out of work nine months. I work but earn just enough for food and rent, and sometimes not enough for that. My mother has taken four of my children for a while to help me out, but she has a family of her own, so if you have anything in clothes for them and for me, I would be more than thankful. I am quite handy and can make things over. Boys are 16, 15, 14, 8, girls, 12, 10 and 3. I take size 38 and 4½ shoe.

MRS. MARY F.

### Offers Home for Boy

Helping Hand Editor:

As you get many appeals, I would like to do something for the veterans. I would like to give some boy out of work, in hard luck, a home for the Winter. One that has no home. I would treat him as my own. I would want someone of good character, of course. I am the mother of veterans and I know how they have suffered since the war.

M. E. A.

## INFLUENCE OF WOMEN IN POLITICS GOOD

By DR. FRANK CRANE

A REMARKABLE feature of the recent elections in England and the United States, has been the number of women that were chosen to office.

In England, Lady Astor, the Duchess of Athol and Hilton Philipson were returned to office.

In the United States, "Ma" Ferguson was elected Governor of Texas, another woman was chosen Governor of Wyoming, and Mrs. Knapp was returned to the office of Secretary of State in New York.

The influence of women in politics is a good one. We are conservative, but with a tendency towards progress. Lady Astor says that it is alarming that the election in England swept so many reactionary Conservatives into Parliament. "Reactionary Conservatives," she says, "or, as the die-hards, are always against women. Still, as the Conservatives have been returned that I am hoping we will be able to help against the Reactionaries."

Women are naturally Conservatives. They do not like the adventurous spirit of men, and are more inclined to preserve what we have than to go after things that we have not. When a woman becomes a Communist, or Socialist or Anarchist, she is usually more violent than a man. The reason is that such things are not in accordance with her nature.

The business of law-making and governing is rapidly passing into the hands of women. They are adapted for the discharge of such duties. Government in the last analysis is but a species of housekeeping, and woman is the natural housekeeper.

Far from looking upon the advent of women into politics as a revolutionary thing, it is rather to be viewed as evolutionary. More and more they are going to come into power until finally the most of government shall pass into their hands.

Woman will never succeed in business, or the creative arts, for those are things that require initiative and adventure, but for governing and law-making, she is admirably adapted.

The perfect government should have a perfect balance between Conservatism and Liberalism. And that balance is maintained better by women than by men.

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## NEED OF SCHOOL FOR AUTO DRIVERS

By Garrett P. Serviss,

Noted Astronomer and Writer on Scientific Subjects of Popular Interest.

AN auto smash on a highway—two cars encountering through carelessness, or nervousness, or incapacity and inexperience — which occurred near me, seemed like a flashlight on the principal cause of, and the best remedy for, these dreadful accidents which within a year, in our country, have cost more than 26,000 human lives, and caused between six hundred and seven hundred thousand serious injuries to men, women and children.

To drive a high-powered car amidst the traffic of any highway certainly requires a practical and trained intelligence of as high an order as that which is demanded as an indispensable prerequisite for a locomotive engineer. The locomotive is a larger, more powerful and more complicated machine than an auto car; but it has a fixed track on which to run, and is specially guarded against collisions. Yet no sensible person would think of entrusting a locomotive to an engineer who had not had, I may say as a minimum, ten times the training and experience that is demanded of the average person who receives a license to drive an automobile.

The locomotive engineer cannot obtain his license without undergoing a physical examination that determines the quality of his eyesight, and of his hearing, his command of nerve and muscle, his quickness of perception, his promptness of response, and his absolute mastery of the engine that is to be placed under his control.

How much of that is found in even the best of the so-called examinations for auto driving licenses? Almost nothing, as far as I have seen. Those examinations determine nothing with certainty. There is no examination of sight, hearing, or character.

A perfectly green hand, often a boy or girl, is permitted after a few weeks, sometimes but a few days of practice in mere driving, to take out a license and plunge with a powerful car into the midst of the traffic! This is folly!

Simply knowing how to move the levers and the guiding wheel and to start and stop a car is nothing but a part of the A B C of the education of a competent auto driver. The incorrigible and

Cool, quick, trained judgment, formed by long, varied, and careful experience, is indispensable to form a safe and trustworthy driver of an auto.

There are certain cases of two cars encountering through which are inconsistent with the qualities needed for a safe driver, are persons who have a constitutional tendency to take chances on occasions. It ought to be possible to detect such persons when they apply for licenses and to reject them.

"Safety first" is a modern term which has fallen into some disrepute; but there are no more necessary words to be kept always in mind, for every person who has to do with auto driving is one of the most dangerous of beasts.

One cannot ride a horse for any certainly requires a practical and considerable length of time on the public street, without seeing many of the most flagrant taking of unwarranted and unnecessary risks by automobile drivers.

Law and regulations are constantly flouted wherever it seems safe. Common sense is often entirely disregarded.

In the city, at numerous crossings, and whenever the public thoroughfare is turned, some drivers recklessly and deliberately cut in ahead of locations and commit some other act of so inexcusable that, if a fatal accident should result, a verdict of murder would alone suit the facts.

It terrifies the average person who receives a license to drive an automobile.

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## ONCE-OVERS

CONTROL YOUR TONGUE AND AVOID NEEDLESSLY HURTING OTHERS

Are you careful to control that tongue of yours and prevent it from hurting others?

Are you always full of little jabs and stabs so far as others are mentioned?

You may do it in a perfectly pleasant way, but if you are always saying little sharp, cutting things your tongue is feared.

Perhaps you like to wield a sharp weapon, and make others smart, and take notice of your opinion expressed in such a pat and caustic style.

If you could know all the things which are said of others on account you would try at least to put a check on your tongue.

Are you a real friend when you urge others to do something for the sick or lonely, and in the same breath say that they "makes you sick."

Are you a loyal friend when you tell a certain person that he or she looks and then say just the opposite to some one else very same day?

Do you tell your hostess that you just "adore her home" when you has it, and on the way home remark, "that you never saw such a woman's house that she did not serve mutton?"

Don't be two-faced, sarcastic and "back-biter."

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## Today

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THE PRESIDENT will entertain in Gary and Rockefeller two men that might do more than any others to solve the crime problem.

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Second, since crime is always unprofitable, it can be reduced by increasing facilities in obtaining employment.

THE LAW should be able to say to every man: "If you need food, and your wife and children need food, I will show you where you can work and pay in the year and earn enough to feed yourself and your family.

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THE WEATHER
Cloudy; not much change in temperature; southeast to south winds.
Sun rises 7:13 a. m.; sets 4:28 p. m.
Moon sets 5:56 a. m.
High tide 8:42 a. m.; 9:10 p. m.
Light all vehicles before 4:54 p. m.


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# TELEPHONE RATE FIGHT STARTS

# GARAGE BANDIT SHOT

## AMESBURY ROBBERS IN GUN BATTLE

**One Suspect Later Arrested in Hospital; Second Man Sought by Police**

Amesbury, Jan. 6.—Held up in his own garage, Earl Symonds, proprietor of a bowling alley and poolroom at No. 8 Mill street, engaged in a gun battle with two bandits, wounded one and drove them away early today.

Later Howard Freeman, twenty-eight years old, of Friend street, Amesbury, was arrested at the Newburyport Homeopathic Hospital, where he had gone to obtain treatment for a bullet wound in the jaw.

The police are searching for a second hold-up man, who, with his companion, fled from Symonds' gun fire in an automobile.

Symonds, who lives at No. 28 Hillside avenue, closed up his place of business at midnight and drove home in his automobile. Opening the garage door, he drove in and had started to get out of his sedan, when a gun was stuck into his back.

**MAKE ESCAPE IN AUTO.**

The gunman commanded Symonds to put up his hands and announced that money was wanted.

In reply Symonds lashed out backward with his foot, slammed the door of his car, and, drawing a pistol from his pocket, fired through the window.

The bandit ran, whereupon the poolroom proprietor gave chase, firing as he did so. Outside the garage the gunman was joined by a companion, evidently a lookout, and both returned Symonds's fire, he told the police. Then they leaped into an automobile and disappeared.

**ARRESTED IN HOSPITAL.**

Sometime later Freeman appeared at the office of Dr. William Flynn, on Main street, seeking treatment for a bullet wound in the jaw.

Dr. Flynn sent him to the Homeopathic Hospital and notified the police. Chief Rogers went to Newburyport and arrested Freeman, who, he said, would appear in local court this afternoon, the wound being superficial.

**BANK STATEMENT TODAY**

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| Res. Cl. | $3,500,000 | Nos. Bal. | $9,000,000 |
| Res. Bal. | $5,500,000 | Nos. Cl. | $2,000,000 |
| Surplus | Unch. | N.T.Bal | 124,000,000 |
| N.T.Bal. | 124,000,000 | N.T.Cl. | 127,000,000 |

## Boxer in Jail as "Purple Mask"

*Young Woman Also in Custody Called Brains of Holdup Gang*

## 3 Saved From Death by Gas

ARRESTED IN HAVERHILL ROBBERIES

Samuel Lindenbom, known in ring circles as "Young Leonard," has admitted that he donned woman's clothes and, masked by a purple handkerchief, robbed Haverhill stores, the police say. Blanche Du Bois, arrested with Lindenbom, is said by the police to be the "brains" of the holdup gang.

## R. I. CARMEN TO OFFER PLAN BY VAHEY

Providence, Jan. 6.—An arbitration agreement, drawn up by James H. Vahey of Boston, will be presented by representatives of the local Street Car Men's Union at a coming conference with the United Electric Railways Company.

Mr. Vahey, who is attorney for the Boston Street Car Men's Union, will act as legal representative for the Providence labor men in the arbitration proceedings.

This announcement was made following the resumption of conferences after a temporary suspension two weeks ago. Union representatives asserted the discussion had been taken up where it had been left off at the end of the last conference. It was more or less of a general nature on different points of the new wage and working agreement, in an effort to settle as many of them as possible and reduce the number of questions to be arbitrated to a minimum, they stated.

It may be several days before the next conference, as the union committee will prepare a report to be submitted to the union executive board before calling upon Mr. Vahey to draft the arbitration agreement.


"Drop of Milk in All"

Samoset Chocolates


## Harry Thaw Finds Fighter-Secretary Scarce Article

Baltimore, Jan. 6.—Harry Thaw is finding his task of getting a secretary to his liking a much larger one than he expected. He declared he has rejected 200 applicants in the city and is much disgusted with the crop. The men are too "lady-like," he declares. What he desires is a fighter, he says.

## DANIEL GUGGENHEIM REPORTED IMPROVING

New York, Jan. 6.—Daniel Guggenheim, financier, was recovering today at his hotel apartment from a heart attack which caused his collapse Saturday. A statement from the Guggenheim apartments said the patient was resting comfortably, but that the doctors were still taking all precautions.

Guggenheim is president and director of the American Smelters Securities Company and of the Guggenheim Exploration Company, a director of the Guaranty Trust Company and the National Bank of Commerce.

## NEW ORLEANS WOMAN MAGAZINE WRITER DIES

New Orleans, Jan. 6.—Mrs. Margaret Hunt Brisbane, magazine writer, died at her home here after an illness of several months. She was the widow of Dr. Howard P. Brisbane of New York.


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## STRIKE ENDED IN WALTHAM, IS REPORT

After five months of deadlock, the strike of the watchmakers at the Waltham Watch and Clock Company is reported at end.

Since August 11, approximately 2,000 men have been on strike, but immediately after the announcement that the officials of the company and representatives of the strikers had reached terms, the men prepared to return to work.

The State Board of Conciliation was largely responsible for the ending of the strike. Members of the board, even when the difference between the officials and the workers seemed insurmountable, kept on the job until success crowned their efforts.

The strike was called by the workers when a general wage reduction approximating 8.8 per cent. cut in wages was ordered.

State conciliators later suggested that the men return to work with a 5 per cent. cut in pay, pending arbitration. This was rejected by the officials of the Watch Company.

## HOLDUP MEN SHOOT BANK PRESIDENT'S SON

Pittsburgh, Jan. 6.—Hold-up men today fired upon and wounded the son of Lawrence A. Sands, president of the First National Bank, when he ran to call for help after a demand for $25,000 had been made upon his father as he was leaving his home in fashionable Squirrel Hill.

## PROTEST PHONE RAISE

**Throng at State House Hearing Opposes Company's Plea for $13,000,000 Boost**

Headed by Mayor James M. Curley of Boston, mayors, selectmen and representative citizens from 124 cities and towns of Massachusetts jammed their way into the auditorium of the State House today at the first hearing by the Massachusetts State Department of Public Utilities on the proposed increased telephone rates.

The citizens from the Massachusetts cities and towns were there for the express purpose of defeating the attempt of the Telephone Company to gain the $13,000,000 rate boost from the New England telephone subscribers.

For some time past Mayor Curley and the mayors of Massachusetts cities have conferred regularly and have organized the fight against the Telephone Company. Today marked the first public step and with Mayor Curley heading the protestors, fireworks were expected.

The new schedule of rates, which the Telephone company wanted to go into effect January 1, was held up until April 1 by the State Department of Public Utilities, following a protest filed by the City of Boston.

The selecting of counsel to represent the cities, methods of procedure, and the setting of further hearing dates are expected to be the chief developments in today's get-together.

**NEW PETITIONS FILED.**

Previous to the meeting, intervening petitions from seven cities and 27 towns were filed with the utilities department by Assistant Corporation Counsel Samuel Silverman of Boston, bringing the total number of protesting communities of record up to 124.

Two legislative investigations arising out of the proposed rate increases have been asked for by Sen. William I. Hennessy of Dorchester and Republican Representative Elijah Adlow of Roxbury, particularly into the local telephone company's connections with the American Telegraph Company and the Western Electric Company. Although these two measures cannot be acted upon until the legislature meets later in the week, both solons will be in attendance at today's hearing.

**LATEST ON LIST.**

The additional cities and towns whose intervening petitions were filed by Attorney Silverman are:

Holyoke, Leominster, Malden, Taunton, Waltham, Woburn, Cambridge, Amherst, Ashburnton, Bedford, Roxborough, Chesterfield, Col-

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## Real "Hicks" Are in New York, Not in Podunkville

New York, Jan. 6 (Universal)—New York is the world's first and biggest and most pronounced "hick" town. There are more downright rubes here to the square inch than anywhere else on the globe.

So declares W. H. Walker, director of federal prohibition field agents.

He flung his accusation over his shoulder on departing for Washington today.

"The New York rube is measured by his provincialism," he declared. "He seldom, if ever, leaves his own city, and is totally blind to the fact that there is any other spot on the map.

"All he knows of the world is confined within the area of New York city."

## $5,000 FIRE AT SOUTH BOSTON ARMY BASE

Careless smoking caused a $5,000 fire at the U. S. Army Base, South Boston, early today, the fire breaking out among stores of the Boston Tidewater Company.

The company occupies a concrete building on the cement pier at the Army Base. Paper, rope and other supplies were stored on the third floor of this building, and the fire was confined to this floor.

Firemen fought the fire for more than an hour before it was finally extinguished.

## DOME OF ST. PAUL'S, LONDON, RULED UNSAFE

London, Jan. 6 (A.P.)—The great dome of St. Paul's Cathedral is declared by the city surveyor to be in such unsafe condition that the municipal authorities, according to the Daily Mirror, have served notice upon the official custodian of the Cathedral that they officially regard the dome as "a dangerous structure."

## WORK TWO HOURS TO REVIVE 2

**Mother and Son of 4 Restored to Consciousness by Malden Doctor and Police**

Two Malden women and a four-year-old boy narrowly escaped death by gas today.

They are Mrs. Louise Forget, thirty-one, her son, Roger, four, and Mrs. Alma Robert, twenty-two, all of No. 81 Jackson street, Malden.

Mrs. Robert awakened about 8 a. m. She attempted to rise but again and again fell back as though held by some invisible force. Her head ached as though it were going to burst. The woman realized in her half stupor that something was wrong, and after a valiant effort she left her bed and made her way to the front door.

She succeeded in opening the door and then fell unconscious across the threshold. A neighbor saw her fall. He rushed to her assistance and smelled gas in the house. Calling the police and Dr. T. W. Leavitt, neighbors rushed through the house and opened all the windows.

In the bedroom of Mrs. Forget they found her and Roger unconscious in their bed. For two hours the physician and the police with a pulmotor worked over Mrs. Forget and the boy before they were brought back to consciousness.

A leaky gas main was found leading into the house. The gas worked its way along the main into the cellar and then up through the house. If Mrs. Robert had slept another hour police say all three would have probably been dead.

## LENINGRAD DAMAGE BY FLOOD $3,000,000

Leningrad, Jan. 6 (U.S.S.)—The ominous warning booming of the Kronstadt Fortress guns ceased with the rising of the sun today and Leningrad surveyed a countryside knee deepdeep by floods. The danger is not yet passed, for the storm still rages. Damage it was estimated today, totaled $3,000,000.

## FALL RIVER MILL WORKERS TO FIGHT WAGE CUT

Fall River, Jan. 6.—The United Textile Workers of America will oppose as unfair and unwarranted the wage reduction of 10 per cent. announced by mill owners of this city to take effect Jan. 12, John L. Campos, president of the Doffers' Union, which is affiliated with the United Textile Workers, said in a formal statement today. President Thomas F. McMahon of the U. T. W. conferred here with Campos and other union leaders.

### SINGERS ENDANGERED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Berlin, Jan. 6.—Eleanor Painter, famous New York prima donna, and Julia Culp, Germany's greatest concert singer, also widely known in America, narrowly escaped death through the overturning of their automobile near Maffersdorf, Bohemia.

### WIFE DIVORCED FROM BIGAMOUS HUSBAND

The methods of a modern wife-seeker were disclosed in Middlesex Probate Court, East Cambridge, when Emma E. Chase of No. 29 Circuit street, West Medford, appealed to the court to annul her marriage to one Robert R. J. Murray, whom she later found already had one or more wives when he married her.

That another woman had prior claim to Murray was unknown to the Chase woman, she stated, until the police paid a visit to the house one day and arrested him on a charge of polygamy and failure to provide for his first wife. Lieutenant Kennedy of Somerville, she testified, made the arrest, as near as she could recall.

### Dr. Newman Smyth Dies

New Haven, Jan. 6.—Rev. Dr. Newman Smyth, a fellow of Yale University and retired Congregational clergyman, died here today after a brief illness. He was 82. Dr. Smythe had an international reputation for efforts toward reunion of all Christian churches of the world.

### RUSSIA TO OBSERVE LENIN ANNIVERSARY

Moscow, Jan. 6 (via).—Preparations are under way for observance of the first anniversary, January 21, of the death of Lenin. The eight days beginning January 13 and ending January 25 will be designated "Lenin Week," and commemorative ceremonies will be held throughout the country.

Special commissions will be appointed in every town and district to call meetings devoted to popularizing Lenin's principles and teachings; a drive for increased membership in the Communist party will be inaugurated, and steps will be taken to strengthen Leninism within the party.

### MRS. BULLARD SUES TO RECOVER $10,000 ON NOT

New York, Jan. 6.—Mrs. Mc Porter Tower Bullard, who obtain a divorce from Robert Lee Bulla Jr., in Detroit last April, filed s in Supreme Court here today to cover $10,000 on a note alleged have been given her by her fore husband in 1923.

### STATE ST... PROTEST... BE HEA...

Naming of Extens... Opposed by Bus... Men Jan. 1...

Voluminous protests p... tending that the names of Bo... the new thoroughfare ... to the Charles River ... been filed with the mem... stoners by State street bu...

According to Attorney ... Warren of the firm of Ha... field, Whitcomb & La... State street, business m... have signed the protest ... Mr. Warren says the ... tests have been filed wi... list of signatures, at the ... street commissioners. I... understands from the ... the board of street com... that a hearing on the ... been set for January 21.

Some of the holders ... who are said to have ... against the proposed ... The Devonshire Build... several trustees; the Na... tional Bank, the Massac... pital Life Building, ow... Massachusetts Hospital ... ance Company; the Ar... tional Bank, the Ide ... owned by the Hale fam... ster; the Parker Build... A. W. Perry, Inc.; S... Trade Building, Secur... ter, and several others.

The list of names ... entered protest, accord... Warren, includes many ... known financial hopes ...

### SOCIALISTS FOR HARV... 'CIRCLE'

The sacred precincts ... University are threat... Red invasion.

According to the Cri... vard daily paper ope... cialist party are now ... Cambridge, underwent ... a so-calls d "Circle" ... vard students.

Under the name of th... ple's Socialist League ... ters at No. 64 Pember... drive is being made am... college students of Ha... fort to win converts to ...

There is said to be a ... group in Boston at pres... of students from all ... the organizers hope to ... vidual "circle" conge... men alone.

According to talk ... the active workers in ... are members of the ... radical clubs of the ... Liberal Club and the ... Wheeler Club.

One Arne J. Peter ... is in charge of the ... Harvard and has ... Socialists seek gradu... duration and a pow... to all communists prin...

### READING SHOE FI... FORGIVES ...

Arthur F. Anderson ... peared last February ... belonging to his ... J. Busker Shoe Co... ing, is back at work ... in the East Cha... when the young ma... makes restitution, th... ceny against him ... placing him on pro...

Anderson was pres... company at the ... Later he returned ... confession. Already ... more than $1,000 of ...

The shoe company ... employment, although ... position.

### MAYOR OF SPRIN... INSISTS ON ...

Springfield, Jan. ... of western Massachu... taken office. Peo... came thirty-eight ... city and in his ... need of economy in ... penditures. In ... ident's Cooledge's ... H. Felker, former ... office, succeeding ... Woodhouse. Fred ... office in Pittsfield ... Johnson in North ...

### POLO STAR'S EX... SOON TO ...

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### WESTON AND HO... TRIAL AGAIN ...

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### NEW SLAVE GIRL IS FOUND

**Worcester Miss Was Lured to Lonely Farmhouse; Betrayer Sentenced**

Worcester, Jan. 7.—A hollow-eyed, sad-faced girl of eighteen years, wanders aimlessly about the walled grounds of an Episcopal institution for wayward girls, near here.

A few months ago, this same girl rosy-cheeked, vivacious and overflowing with the very joy of living dreamed of the time when romance and love would find and blossom for her, making her life complete.

The girl is the daughter of a Worcester business man.

She is another victim of the White slave ring that has its slimy tentacles spread over Massachusetts with innocent young girls in almost every neighborhood already in its power or marked as its victims.

### SERVING SENTENCE.

So bold and defiant has this White slave ring become, that parents awaiting their daughters who fall in the clutches of the ring, are threatened with death if they appeal to the authorities or interfere with the case in any way.

A few miles away from where this girl broods over a wrecked and ruined life, Wilmore Martin, wealthy garage keeper of Marlboro, is in the penal institution serving a two-year sentence.

The jailing of Martin and the sentencing of his innocent victim in an institution was part of a campaign that is being carried on throughout Massachusetts by the State constabulary and Federal agents to break the power of the White Slave ring.

The young Worcester girl was the pride of her father's home. It was when she was walking along the street she first met Martin, the garage man.

It was not long until the bloom began fading from the young girl's cheeks. A strange, hard expression came into her eyes. Her parents were solicitous and worried about her health.

"It is nothing," she said and tried to laugh the matter off.

### FOUND ON FARM.

About the same time the girl began remaining away from home for several days at a time. She had a wide circle of girl friends and her parents that she was staying with companions, were believed.

Finally, an anonymous telephone message to the father told him that his daughter could be found living in a so-called farm house between Northboro and Marlboro.

The father, trailing his daughter, received a warning that if he made any complaint against the farmhouse he was in danger of death.

In desperation the father appealed to the Worcester police. The farmhouse was out of their jurisdiction and the builder was referred to the State Constabulary.

Promptly upon hearing the father's story, Captain Kimball and a squad of his men swooped down on the place.

They found the girl in the farmhouse. Also they found Martin, the garage man.

They found another girl and another man—all under conditions that confirmed unbelievable.

The court sent the girl to the Episcopal home.

The Martin "farmhouse" is only one of several the authorities have already cleaned out. Others are under surveillance, and more arrests will be made.

Worcester, alone, has contributed more than a score of girls to the slave ring within the past few months. Parents of young girls are in constant terror that their loved ones will be the next.

Meanwhile, the authorities are doing what they can to combat the menace with the implements at their disposal.

### MORE ARRESTS TO COME.

The search for seventeen-year-old Lucielle Farrara, the Rockland, Me., girl who is believed to be a victim of the White Slavers, continues. The girl disappeared from her home just before Christmas and went to Boston. It is known that she was met by men identified with the white slave ring.

A cousin of the girl has appealed to the Springfield police within the past twenty-four hours to renew efforts to find the girl.

"Her mother is heartbroken and in a state of collapse," the cousin told the police.

While a score of cities have been combed over, no trace of the missing girl has as yet been unearthed.

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Filene's Automatic Bargain BASEMENT

The same kind of bargains that we advertise in a few departments every day—in ALL departments in big quantities for a three-day bargain celebration—and doubly important is the fact that with so much merchandise in this celebration, the first price must be exceptionally low, so it will sell out before the first reduction in accordance with our automatic plan—

*Announces for Wednesday—Thursday—Friday*

# 3 day celebration

*here are a few of WEDNESDAY'S lots—others coming Thursday and Friday*

*Even 161 new Spring sample dresses*
remarkable dresses
street or afternoon or evening dresses $11.75 women's misses'
Cotton back chiffon velvets, beaded georgettes, crepe de chines, jacquard failles, crepe satins. Sizes 16 to 42 in lot—EXTRA size silk or wool dresses—sizes 42½ to 52½ in lot.

girls' toques 50c

*14 entrances—doors open at 9 A.M.—please keep to right*

women's gloves 50c
Capeskin or suede

*109 with seal-dyed rabbit, squirrel or opossum trimmings — worth $18.50 to $25 alone*
women's rich fur trimmed coats $19
also misses'
407 fur collar and fur cuff coats—434 fur collar, fur cuff and fur border coats—127 odd or few-Sizes 16 to 42 in lot—EXTRA size silk or wool dresses—sizes 42½ to 52½ in lot.

16th Anniversary

American Lady, Ideal, H.&W. or rubber reducing corsets $2
Boned or plain top—closed back or low arm elastic gored girdle — sizes 23 to 34 in lot.

women's or misses' knit suits $2.95
sizes 30 to 44 in lot

children's rompers 39c
Sizes 1 to 6 in lot

Imagine sizes 2 to 16 yrs. in lot
girls' plain or fur collar coats $4.65
Polaires, velours, mixtures silk fabrics — good styles — exceptional values

*Three big New York makers' showroom samples and designers' models*
682 pcs. women's sample SILK underwear
$2 to $12.50
gowns, pajamas, chemises, bloomers, step-ins, slips at one price or another

women's rayon slips, bloomers, petticoats $1.45

BOYS' knickers, overalls, wash suits 50c
Sizes 3 to 8

women's new spring sample hats $3
Satin (cotton back), faille or combinations

Even same elastic gore shoes
women's new low shoes
Oxfords or strap pumps—many styles—sizes 3 to 8 in lot. $2

Seconds or mends
1507 prs. women's black silk hosiery 39c
Hale tops and feet

boys' leather slippers 50c

BOYS' 2-pant suits, mackinaws, overcoats
sheeplined coat $4.85
sizes 3 to 11 in lot. Sheeplined coats to 20 yrs.

Underarm or bag sty's
leather handbags 45c
Some seconds—very exceptional

Women's SILK scarfs $1.69

NEW! misses' suspender SKIRTS $3.95
Sizes 16 to 20 in lot

big lot boys' blouses
Collar attached madras — sizes 8 to 16 in lot. 50c

HUNDREDS OF OTHER BARGAIN LOTS NOT ADVERTISED

Our plan
(Originated by Filene's)
First prices must be low or by our automatic reduction plan we lower them
¼ after 12 selling days
¼ after 18 selling days
½ after 24 selling days
Goods given away be charity after 30 selling days

NO MAIL ORDERS FILLED